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JAPAN.

INURNISHED HOUSE TO BE LET for the Summer in YOKOHAMA. Particulars on application at the Daily Frees TO BE LET-FURNISHED.

with Tennis Court, on Peak Road, above. the Albany. Scoretary. HONGKONG LAND INVEST

Hengkong, 15th April, 1890, \$20 REWARD. OST on Wednesday, between Peak Hotel and Victoria Hotel, a Packet of CIR CULAR NOTES on the New Oriental Bank. Numbers are known and payment stopped all

MENT &: AGENCY Co., LD.

over the East. Above will be paid at the Peakor Central Police Station for recovery. Hongkong, 15th April, 1890. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

JAHREIS, Deceased OTICE is hereby given that the Honour-able the Acting Chief Justice beving in virtue of Section 8 of Ordinance 9 of 1870. made an Order limiting to the 30th June next,

the time for sending in Claims against the said All Creditors are hereby required to send in their Claims to the undersigned before the said Dated 14th April, 1890. EDW. J. ACKROYD,

Registrar.

- PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instruction

to Sall by Public Auction, on THURSDAY, • the 17th April 1890, at 2.80 P.M. FOR ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. at the Godown of Mr. J. S. Lucas, No. 38

Ewo Street, East Point. Salved ax recent Fire of 2nd March, TOBACCO, PAPER, ENVELOPES, BRANDY, BEER, WINE, CHUTNEY FRUITS MEAT, SOAP, CROCKERY, IRONWARE, &c., &c.,

SUNDRIES. HOUSEBOLD FURNI-TURE, PRIVATE EFFECTS, &c. TERMS OF SALE.—As Customary.

Hongkong, 15th April, 1890. STEAM TO MANILA VIA AMOY. FE H.H. Steamship

NANZING." Captain Talbot, will be despatched as above TO-DAY, the 15th inst., at FOUR P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents. Hongkoug, 14th April, 1890. ... DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED:

FOR SWATOW, AND FOOCHOW FITHE Company's Steamship " HAITAN!

above Ports TO MORROW; the 16th inst. at DAYLIGHT, instead of as previously adver-

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 14th April, 1890. STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship THAMES. Captain W. A. Seaton, R.N.R., will leave for the above place TO-MORROW, the 16th inst.

at DAYLIGHT. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. Hongkong, 15th April, 1890. FOR SWATOW AND BANCKOK.

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM

BHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FITHE Company's Steamer "MONGKUT."

Captain Geo. Anderson, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 17th inst. at EIGHT AM. For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG,

Hongkong, 14th April, 1890. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID,

MALTA, GIBRALTAR, MARSEILLES, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON; BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA

N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TABEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAN-BURG. NEW YORK, AMD BOSTON. SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH.

IF HE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM "KAISAR-I-HIND." Capt. G. W. Atkinson, cellency the Officer Administering the Go-NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON VIA BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd April, at 4 P.M.

Curgo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office Silk and Valuables for Europe will be tranthipped at Colombo; Tea and General l'argo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE spply to the PENINSULAR &

URIERTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers

for Marsellies. E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. Hongkong 15th April, 1890.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI. THE Company's Steamship "BAYERN," Captain J. Margell, will leave for the above place

about 24 hours after her arrival with the outward Garman Mail. For further Partioulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE, AND NAGASAKI. (Passing through the INLAND SEA). THE Company's Steamship

"GENERAL WERDER." Captain M. Eichel, will, leave for the above Ports on or about the 19th instant. For further Particulars, apply to

MELCHERS & Co Hongkong, 15th April, 1890. THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

LIMITED. LARGE SIX-ROOMED BUNGALOW. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE, AND YOKO THE Company's Steamship

> ".eHINGWO." J. Stainton, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 21st instant. For Freight, apply to
> ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, 15th April, 1890. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR 1900 SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID. BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP. BREMEN, AND HAMBURG.

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THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT AND LUGGAGE. BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL PLACES IN RUSSIA.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of May, are employed in the preparation and dispensing of Medicines.

"BAYERN," Captain J. Mergell, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and GOODS FOR COAST PORTS, CARGO will leave this Port as above. CALLING AT GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 8 r.m., on the 6th May. (Parcels are not to be sent Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are

The Siesmer has splendid Accommodation, and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For Further Particulars, apply to

MELCHERS & Co... Hongkong, 15th April, 1889

THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given to the SHARC-HOLDERS in the above Company that

a further and FINAL (ALL of Twenty-five dollars per Share is by order of the Directors made payable to the Undersigned on or before the 30th instant, at the Office of the Company, 36, Queen's Road Central. HENRY HUMPHREYS, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 9th April, 1890.

AUCTIONS. PUBLIC AUCTION

JAPANESE PORCELAINS, IVORIES SILKS AND CURIOS. Captain S. Ashton, will be despatched for the FITHE Undersigned has received instructions

to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the 19th April, 1890, at his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street, commencing at 2.30 p.m. sharp, A VERY FINE ASSORTMENT OF

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Catalogues will be issued prior to Sale, and the above will be on view on Friday next. TREMS OF BALE .- Cash on delivery. G.-R. LAMMERT.

Hongkong, 14th April, 1890. GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION .-

TETHE following Particulars of Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction, to be held on

the spot, on MONDAY,

the 21st day of April, 1890, at 5 P.M., are published for general information. By Command, W. M. DEANE)

Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 29th March, 1890.

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 21st day of April, 1890, at 5 P.M., by Order of His Exthe Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 999

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Cargo and Passengers there. Hongkong, 18th March, 1890. TOSEPH GILLOTT'S PENS.

INTIMATIONS

HONGKONG TUHSDAY, APRIL 157H, 1890.

THREE IMPORTANT FACTS CTANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

1.-HALF A MILLION STERLING per annum is being paid in Death Claims year 2.-THE FUNDS IN HAND amount to up-

wards of Six Million and Three-quarter pounds Sterling and have increased 50 per cent in the last 15 years. WHOLESALE & RETAIL DRUGGISTS. 3.—THE LIVES who die are annually replaced by more than double the number of fresh

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instant. The object of this Meeting is to form the "Hongkong Athletic Club." and to elect an Honorary Secretary, Committee, &c. W. H. YOUNG. Hon. Secretary, Hongkong Athletic Sports. Hongkong, 14th April, 1890.

THE HONGY ING MARINA, LIMITED.

attend a MEETING at the Hongkong

HOTEL, at 5 P.M., TO-MORROW, the 16th

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE FIRST ORDINARY HALF-YEAR-LY MEETING will be held at the Reg- 31st day of May next, for the purpose of conistered Offices of the Company, 3, Beaconsfield Aroade, TO-MOBROW(WEDNESDAY), the price of all our Specialities as compared with 16th inst., at 4 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, with a Statement The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

> will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 16th By Order of the Board of Directors, J. A. BARRETTO:

Hongkong, 9th April, 1890. THE NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE TWELFTH ORDINARY GEN ERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Head Office, Shanghai, on MONDAY, the 21st instant, at 2,80 P.M., for the presentation of the Report of the Directors and Accounts to the 31st December, 1889, the declaration of Dividenda the election of Directors and Auditors for the current year, and the transaction of any other business which may be transacted at an Ordinary General Meeting. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 12th to 21st inst. both days inclusive. By Order of the Court of Directors, W. H. PERCIVAL. Acting Secretary

Shanghai, 3rd April, 1890. NOTICE OF MEETING. THE DARVEL BAY TRADING COM-

PANY, LIMITED. OTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA. ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the DARVEL BAY TRADING COMPANY LIMITED, will be held at 9, Queen's Road. Victoria, Hongkong, the Registered Office of the Company, on MONDAY, the 21st day of April, 1890, at 4 c'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of enabling the Company too add power in the Articles of Association to enable the Company by its general Managers to forfeit or cancel any share on which any CALL or INSTALMENT shall remain Unpaid and to enable the Company to sell, re-allot, or otherwise

dispose of the same, and for the purpose of dealing with the said shares, and for causing due notice to be given to the registered owners of such shares. Should the said Resolution be passed by the required majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a special resolution to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

A full and complete copy of the above proposed amendments may be seen on application at the Company's Office. Dated the 10th day of April, 1890.

REUTER BROCKELMANN & Co., General Managers. THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

FIRST ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the City Hall at HALF-PAST TWELVE O'CLOCK, on SATURDAY, April 26th, 1890, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors with a Statement of Accounts to December 81st, 1889. By Order of the Board of Directors,

J. WHEELEY, Hongkong, 12th April, 1890. THE HONOKONG AND KOWLOON

WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS called for Thursday, 10th April, is POSTPONED till 28th APRIL. EDWARD OSBORNE. Becretary. Hongkong, 9th April, 1890.

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE THIRD ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held in the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ROOMS at the City Hall, at Twelve o'clock (noon), on MONDAY, the 28th April next, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1889.

Secretary, Hongkong, 28th March, 1890, THE NEW EAST BORNEO COMPANY. LIMITED.

EDWARD OSBORNE.

SORABJI, J. GAZDER.

PPLICATION for SHARES will be received at the Hongkong and Shang-HAI BANKING COMPOBATION up to the 18th GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., Agenta. Hongkong, 12th April, 1890.

HANKOW AND YANGTSZE PORTS. THE Undersigned begs to inform his numerous Customers of Hankow and Outports that he is now in a position to supply the best quality of Clothes, Boots, Shoes, Wines, and Spirits, Bread, Meat, &c., at moderate

Hankow, 8th April, 1890. MARDIFF COAL In Lots to suit Purchasers,

- INTIMATIONS. AKIN BROTHERS OF CHINA

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VINOLIA.

LOCAL TESTIMONY. A Correspondent writes :---"For several years past, I have been troubles luring the hot weather by a persistant and annoying Dhoby Itch. This year it made its appearance earlier than usual, and the itching a2414] was especially severe. Seeing the advertisement of Vinolia I procured a box of the Crown and Powder. The first application of the Cream allayed the itching immediately, and this annoy ing symptom not returning. I paid little attention to it, merely dusting the part with the powder morning and evening. In four days from the first application the redness had disappeared, and the skin was to all appearance

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HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI. BANKING CORPORATION. NYOTICE is hereby given that A SPECIAL or EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of this Company will be held at the CITY HALL; Hongkong, at Noon, on SATURDAY, the

sidering, and, if approved, of passing the following Resolutions:-1-That the Capital of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation be increased from \$7.500,000 to \$10,000,000 by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of \$125, to be issued at the price of \$43 10s. Eastern Shareholders to pay for their allotments at the current rate of the day for Deinand Bills on London.

2-That the said New Shares be in the first instance, in such manner as the Directors shall prescribe for that purpose, offered to the Shareholders in the proportion of one New Share for every three Shares of which on the 31st May, 1890, they shall respectively be the Registered Holders, and that any New Shares not accepted by the Share-holders within the time limited by the Directors for that purpose, be disposed of and allotted by the Directors in such manner and at such price as in their discretion they shall think best in the interest of the Com-

-That payment of the sum of £42 10s. per share for each of the said New Shares be made as follows, viz :---£10 12s. 6d, on the 30th day of June. 1890 " 31st £10 12s. 6d . 31st £10 12s. 6d; March, 1891 -That the Directors issue to Shareholders holding stares not a multiple of Three Fractional certificate in respect of each share in excess of or below such multiple, and allot one now share to every person who shall produce three such Fractional Certificates on or before the 30th June, 1890, and pay the first instalment in respect thereof. -That after payment of the first instalment and pending payment of the future instal-ments, Scrip Certificates in such form as the Directors may determine be issued respect of such New Shares, entitling the Holders on payment of the remaining instalments, and subject to such other terms as

to approval, date for lodging Scrip Cortificates, and otherwise as the Directors may prescribe, to be registered as the Holders of the Shares represented by such Scrip Certificates respectively. -That interest at the rate of 5 per cent, per annum (free of income tax) be allowed out of the profits of the Company on all instalments paid in advance of the dates when the same become due and that from the 30th June, 1890. Holders of Scrip Certificates be entitled to participate in future dividends in proportion to the amount of instalments paid up, on an equality with the other

Shareholders of the Company. -That interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum be charged on every instalment which shall not be punctually paid, and be paid with such instalments. 8-That all moneys received from premiums on the said New Shares be added to the Reserve Fund.

FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAY

BANKING CORPORATION, WADE GARD'NER. Acting Chief-Manager. Hongkong, 8th April, 1890. SOCIETE FERMIERE DE L'OPIUM AU TONKIN. Societe Annoyme Capital 1,440,000 Francs.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. SHAREHOLDERS are hereby informed that, in conformity with the Besolutions passed at the General Meeting under date of 31st March, 1890, the DIVIDEND WAR-RANTS for the year 1889, will be paid at the

rate of One Hundred and Sixty Dollars per HANOI, at the Company's Head Office, from the 7th April, 1890. in Honokong, at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, from the 25th April to the 10th May, 1890.

R. DE ST. MATHURIN, Managing Director. Hanoi, 8th April, 1890. NOTICE.

LIMITED. 2ND CALL OF \$10 PER SHARE STILL OTICE is hereby given to whom it may due, 26th November last, together with Interest due is paid on or before the 17th instant on the following Shares, viz: concern that nuless the SECOND CALL

25 Shares Nos. 1951/1975 in the name of S. I

LABUK PLANTING COMPANY,

- Danby 10 Shares Nos. 2716/2725 in the name of F. H. O. Wilson 5 Shares Nes. 3201/3205 in the name of M. S. Perry 10 Shares Nos. \$206/3215 in the name of 25 Shares Nos. 3391/341@and 3421/25 in the name of J. B. Elias

5 Shares Nos. 8666/3670 in the name of Invalids in particular are recommended to select J. B. Gomes 5 Shares Nos. 4306/4310 in the name of ance with the Articles of Association. TURNER & Co.

General Managers. Hongkong, 12th April, 1890.

WANTED, at the GENERAL POST OFFICE. A CLERK to take charge of the MONEY ORDER BRANCH. EUROPEAN OF AMERICAN preferred. The salary is \$1,440 per annum. The following qualifications are indispensable; s good hand-writing, a thorough knowledge of accounts, ability to find approved security for \$5,000. During the first year, the engagement will be terminable after a month a notice from

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Lobschied's Select Phrases in Canton Dialect. Governor Sir Wm, Des Voux's Report on the Condition and Prospects of Hongkong. Ng Shan's Chinese Games of Chance. Dyer Ball's How to speak Cantonese. Dyer Ball's How to write Chinese. Dyer Ball's Cantonese made easy. Dyer Ball's Hakka Dislect Phrases. Dyer Ball's Easy Sentences in Canton Dialect Dyer Ball's San Wui Dialect. Dyer Ball's English Cantonese Pocket Voca-

Watter's Essays on Chinese Language. Hopkins' Guide to the Kuan Hua. Hoas' Dentsch Chinesische Conversations Foster's Elementary Lessons in Chinese. Legge's Chinese Classics, complete set. Macartney's Embassy to the Chinese Empire,

Perny's Dictionusire Franceis-Latin-Chineis de la Langue Manderine Parlée. Kanghi's Chinese Dictionary, complete. Wade's Tzu Eib Chi. I. M. Customs List of Chinese Medicines. Legge's Record of Buddhistic Kingdoms. Depot for the Publications of the Imperial Chinese Maritime Customs. KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG,

AT BREWER HAS JUST RECEIVED Zola's La Bête humaine. Special No. of Illustrated Stanley and Emin How to be Beautiful Sporting Notes in Far East. Manners Maketh Man. Stops, or How to Punctuate. American Dishes and how to Cook them. Wedding Invitation Cards. Wedding Announcement Cards. Printed At Home Cards. Printed Dinner Cards. Printed Tennis Cards. Violin Strings, Banjo Strings. Gossips Chees Players' Text Book. Bailey's Chemists Pooket Book.

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11th April, reports had fine weather and smooth sea up to 11 a.m. on the 13th April, after which very heavy rain, thunder and pightning up to .The British steamer Euphrates, from Saigon 9th April, reports had fine E.N.E. winds from Cape St. James to about 150 miles from this

port; from thence to port strong winds with

The British steamer Anchires, from Shanghai

heavy rain with lightning and thunder.

ABERDEEN DOCKS.

The British steamer Nanzing, from Manila

10th April, Amoy 12th, and Swatow 13th, reports had B.E. winds from Shanghai to Tungying, thick fog thence to Ceksen, N.E. gale Ockseu to Amoy, hazy weather and northerly wind from Amoy to Swatow, rainy and moderate easterly wind from Swatow to port. VESSELS IN DOCK.

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Понокона, Арви 15тн, 1890.

There were 2,185 visitors to the City Hall Museum last week, of whom 177 were Europeans. Among the passengers by the mail steamer yesterday was Mr. H. Nicolle, the new Auditor. Post Office at 3 p.m.

bourne on the 4th inst.

H.M.S. Alacrity, with H.E. Vice Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, V.C., K.C.B., on board, left yesterday for the North, and will call at Woosung. Chefoo, and Tientsin.

The Agents (Messra. Arnhold, Karberg & Co.) this port ye sterday morning.

at Tokio, with four Suffragen Bishops. Our Tientsin contemporary of the 5th says:

The Convertion for the opening of Chungking to foreign trade was signed on the 31st Merch by rir John Walsham, H.B.M. Minister, and the Tsung-li Yamen.

The Agents (Mesers, Melchers & Co.) inform

found, how ver, to be a mild one, and the past of education which is carried on here, and a law alleged of keeping the next day, something of education which is carried on here, and the past of education which is carried on here, and the past of education which is carried on here, and the past of education which is carried on here, and the limits of this colony as an Act of Parliasengers were allowed to land about seven o'clock the north collision then absolutely inevitable, and this shortly before the despatch box was broken open.

In the limits of this colony as an Act of Parlialast evening.

According to a letter dated Nagasaki, 6th instant, news had been received at that port of the come a total wreck.

jeroni, so that the public of Hongkong may be to be forwarded to the Registrar-General. afforded an opportunity of witnessing a performance by these well-known artists.

The Singapore Free Press says:—It is reported that H.M.S. Hyacinth, lately stationed here, struck the Jahat Shoal, some nine miles out from Labuan, while on her way from that port to Hongkong. The steam pinnace was sent to La. bush for help and is said to have been lost.

On receipt of the news of the Marquis Tacing's death, His Excellency the Acting Governor sent the following telegram of condolence to Sir John Waisham at Peking :- "The Community of Hongkong has learned with sincere regret the news of the death of the Marquis

. We are requested to state that the Rev. D: Wright, of the is tish and Foreign Bill So clety, will, lecture on "The Hittites" in St. Paul's College Chanel this afternoon, at 5.15. Dr. Wright's subject is one which he has personally investigated, and on which he is a recognised authority.

Yesterday at noon, Mr. Purdy, second office of the British steamer Acochie, attempted to commit suicide by shooting himself through the head. The injured man was removed to the Hospital whore he lies in a precarious state. It tisens. is supposed he attempted to take his life in consequence of receiving some bad news from home by a recent mail.

Mr. Goschen has, it is believed, looked very We invite attention to the following old landed carefully into the tes duty, and is not disposed. Brands, all of which are excellent quality and to reduce or repeal it. None of the advisers of the Treasury have, it appears, recommended a Cavalry, The same being specially selected by our reduction of the tea duty, which is considered to London House, and bought direct from the most be simply a question of retention or abolition,

> The Band of the A. & S. Highlanders will play the following programme at the Officers' ess, this (Tnesday) evening, commencing at

"Nos Bonnes Gens de Village" ... Czibulka. Selection ... " Folk-songs of Italy " ... Rampersotti. Selection .... "The Yeoman of the Guard" Sulivan.

Rejah Sir Charles Brooke, of Sarawak, bas issued a proclamation annexing the Limbour River, which constitutes the main portion o Brunei, and to obtain jurisdiction over which has been for so long the policy of the Sarawak Government. The Singapore papers seem to think it improbable that the home Government will approve of the step. There was a rumour at Singapore that the Sultan of Brunei is dead. This was, however, thought to be improbable.

Yesterday afternoon the attention of and Excise Officer was drawn to a number of newly made boxes that were standing on Praya West wine, Green Seal Capsule... 7.50 0.75 | As no one seemed to claim them they were examined and found to contain one box within another, in which way they had apparently been packed to take up as little space as possible in their transhipment. Further, examination was continued when upwards of 1,000 taels prepared opium was found contained in the innermost and she required three wounds on the head. boxes. It is supposed they have been brought. The murderers had not been arrested. down from Canton for shipment to Saigon. N arresta were made.

> Says the Straits Times .- Those connected with the two local insurance companies appear to Per Case. Per Case. feel aggrieved that the insurance of the Town Hall buildings has been removed from them. and it seems that the Commissioners will be invited to reconsider the matter. It appears that the Town Hall has hitherto been insured by the local companies for 36 cents per 100 dollars. which had been the lowest Singapore rate, but that, on account possibly of having got improved appliances for putting out fires, the Commissioners called for tenders, and received one from an English bornpany at 24 cents, as against 25 cents tendered by one of the local companies. The English company's tender was cented. The contention of the local companies appears to be that the improvement in fire appliances brought about largely at their cost, and lat an expense to them of \$9,000 is used harshly to break their rates; and that the lown Hull myself, instituted a couple of years ago policies in the circumstances might have been an examination, first for boys of whatever arranged with them. On the other hand the Municipal officers concerned will no doubt point out that their business is to insure as cheaply as they can. The real point at issue is a very old one, and almost every public body has at some time been asked to consider it. What the public will chiefly note is the intensity of the competition in insurance business.

room meeting was held at St. Paul's College. when an address on the work of the British and ed the meeting by reading a portion of so sture the Victoria English School, two from the Wales to form a bible society which was to be sion Home, three from the Berlin Mission Wales, but a gentleman there present thought ing a total of sixteen, and prizes were awarded eirn Bible Society was established. The cellency for presenting these prizes, for anywas governed by thirty-six members forming a ask your Excellency to present the prises. committee; half were church and half were nonconformists. They had a president and several Good Lesward Island ... \$1,50 per Gallon vice-presidents, and as a proof of the work the Society was doing, he might mention that since he joined the British and Foreign Bible Society, some twelve years ago, no less than 80 different translations of the Bible had been made and now there were 200 such translations. He was anxious to be able to form a branch of their Society in Hongkong. At the close of the address, Bishop. Burdon made a few remarks about the forma-899 tion of such a branch, and upon the motion of On the 8th March, at Oakbank, Chislehurst, the the Rev. G. M. Bondfield, seconded by Rev. J. B. Ost, a committee of ladies and gentlemen was formed with Bishop Bordon as president. The meeting was brought to a close with a prayer by the Bishop.

> M. Eugene Simon continues in the correct number of the Nouvelle Revue his charming though misleading study of European life from a Chinese point of view. Whether he is reproducing in a French dress the actual work of a Chinese observer, or makes use of this form to write his own romance, matters little to the reader in search of new and suggestive ideas. Fan Ta-Gen; the Chinese observer, begins with a

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LATEST TELEGRAMS.

FROM BINGAPORE PAPERS. London, 7th April.

ders amongst the students of the St. Petersburg

FRANCE AND EGYPT. France baving now sent a favourable reply t the Conversion scheme, Tigrane Pasha and Mr

THE GERMAN EMPEROR'S ARMY RESCRIPT.

A rescript of the Emperor provides that commissioned appointments in the Army and Nave are no longer to be restricted to those of noble birth, but are in future to be open to men of noble character and the sons of hononrable ci-

It deprecates extravagance as excluding the poorer sepirants, and enjoins commanders to lations. To the first of these I would say "great

It raises the pay of the Artillery, Rifles, and knowledge!" FRANCE INCREASING HER

TORPEDO FLEET. France has ordered ten sea-going and twenty first-class torpedo vessels to be built.

A CLERGYMAN MURDERED IN JAPAN

A foreign gentleman has beefi murdered by robbers at Tokyo. From the particulars published by the Japan Gasette it appears that on the morning of the 5th inst. at about one o'clock. two men, armed with swords, affected an entrance into the house of the Rev. T. A. Large, No. 14, enable the Company to add power in the ha expected the Kung-pai to pass him on the Toriizaka, Azabu-the Toyoswa Jo Gakko, in Articles of Association, to forfeit or cancel Hongkong side, which he thinks she could have connection with the Cauadian Methodist Mission. any shares on which any call or instal-Mr. Large in defending himself was out down and killed. Mrs. Large was badly slashed about the head, arms, and hands, and is in a very have been drawn up by the sollcitor of the junks and that he put his belm hard a dangerous state. The deceased gentleman received in all thirteen wounds, including two or three cuts on the head, a terrible elash nearly severing the shoulder from the body, and a thrust through the lungs. With reference to Mrs. Large, two fingers of the right hand were amputated, one of her thumbs was badly maimed.

 $oldsymbol{DISTRIBUTION}$  OF  $oldsymbol{BELILIOS}$   $oldsymbol{PRIZES}$ 

The Belilios prizes gained at the annual examination were distributed to the successful competitors at Government House, yesterday afternoon, by H.K. the Acting Governor. Besides the prise winners a number of parents and friends were present. .......

Mr. Francis, Q.C. (one of the trustees of the Belilios Fund) said-Your Excellency, you are doubtless aware from the papers sent you that Mr. Belilios placed a sum of \$3,000 in the bands of trustees for two purposes. First, for the purpose of rewarding acts of bravery in this colony, whether on the part members of the Police Force, of the Chinese population; or others, and second, out of whatever funds remained at the end of mach year after such awards, for distribution in the encouragement of education in Rongkong. The present trustees. Rev. W. Jennings, Dr. Eitel, and nationality, who were being educated in European Schools, second, for girls getting a European education, and third, for girls getting a purely Chiuese education, and we have been in a position to distribute : 200 the shape of prizes each of these years. The examination was held in December last. Eleven boys from Victoria College, six from St. Joseph's College, four from the Hongkong Public Yesterday afternoon a well-attended drawing. School, four from the Diocesan Home, and three from Victoria English School, con total of twentyeight, presented themselves for the examination Foreign Bible Soriety was given by the Rev. for boys. Fer the examination for girls get-Dr. Wright, of L. Idon, Bishop Burdon open ting a European education, there were six from from the V. Chap, of St. John, and after a Italian convent, and one from the Diocesan prayer, briefly introduced the reversed gentle. Home, making a total of nine girls. For the man. The lecturer stated that the Society was examination for Chinese girls there were seven formed in 1804, when a few gentlemen met in from Boxter School four from the Basel Mignamed the Bible Society of England and School, and two from the Victoria Home, makwhy not a bible society of the whole world? according to the list sent to your Excellency. and so it came about that the British and For- The trustees are extremely obliged to your Exlecturer gave many instances of his own thing that can add to the interest which the missionary work in Damasons, and how the children take in and the prestige attached to difficulties of many missionaries might be over- these examinations adds to the value of the come by their learning the living language of prizes and encourages education in Hongkong, the people they were placed amongst. In the by making pupils and teachers do their utmost further course of his address he said the Society for the advancement of education: I will now

> The following is a list of the prize winners:pool, Hongkong Public School. mert, Hongkong Public School.

5th prize: \$15.-W. Allen, Victoria College, FOR GIRLS GETTING A EUROPEAN EDUCATION. 1st prize: Silver medal and \$25.-C. M.

Noronha Italian Convent School

Chin, Basel Mission School. Brd prize: \$10.-Ng Awan, Victoria Home

4th prize: - Chan Tso, Baxter Behool.

and Orphanege.

pare in the processons and the state of their Royal ligion they follow, and to whatever bommu- When the ships were at a distance from each ed, but I cannot adopt this suggestion in view had asked for leave to go Canton, but triumphal arches for the wolcome of Their Royal ligion they follow, and to whatever bommu- When the ships were at a distance from each ed, but I cannot adopt this suggestion in view had asked for leave to go Canton, but here, and hat is the advance that has lately been whistle. The Kung-pai answered by put distance of the Ancona when she hard a star. The head boy ran away the same night and I made in improving female education. It can ting her belon hard sport and giving one blast boarded at half a mile, I asked the Assessors have not seen him since, and the second boy not be desied that within recent years in all im. by the whistle, and shortly afterwards the stem of the Kung-pai atrack the Ancona on the sailor, in supposing until he was within 500 yards opened and I have not seen him since. I think taken in this respect. Those who have lived starboard side, abaft the forerigging, at an angle of the Ancona that she could and would keep that is all I can say. in Europe have heard remarks to the effect some 10 degrees greater than a right angle, cut of the way ?" And they answer "No, he His Worship remanded the case till this that women in Eastern countries do not the smaller angle being between the two ought not to have carried on antil she was within morning at 10 a.m. occupy the position they should do. These sterns. The effect of the blow was to make a quarter of a mile." This opinion I fully adopt, are the persons who, when they come to a large hole 9 ft. by 1 ft. in the Ancona's side and as I think that the distance was even less The Case is suffering from a relapse of the Eastern countries, should take advantage of and to inflict considerable injury to the Kung- than a quarter of a mile the neglect to slacken influenza. He is greatly incensed at the disor- every opportunity that lies in their power to pass stem. Immediately after parting, both speed or stop and reverse previously was so much improve the education of the rising generation steamers were beached, the Kung-pai on North the more oulpable. of women, to make models that they are to fol- Point and the Ancona on the Howloon side. As The final conclusion at which I am forced to Palmer are about to proceed to Paris to arrange to ourselves and useful to others, must be the most to the real facts. The captain of the Ancona directions. gratifying duty that any of us can pursue. I ven- says that i.e hard a starboarded for the purpose ture to think that there are few, at all events in this Colony, who can feel pleasure in this gratific- the fourth officer suggests that it was as much ation more than one whose absence here to-day to avoid two junks which were on the Ancona's we regret, but who has been the cause of our assembling here this afternoon, and who has done Lyeemun Pass, but more robably perhaps as the so much by his generosity to encourage education third officer thinks, at ming across for a little in this Colony. To those to whom I have just below North Point. had the pleasure of awarding these prizes which ting his he m hard's "buard he expected to cross the jonks track as on of them, but that he has so kindly given, to those who have been instrumental in teaching them how to win them, and to those who are connected with them by the ties of parentage or relationship, I offer congratuenforce a simpler mode of life among the of are the joys of your youth, but Oh! what joy when every hour brings a palpable access of ac-

> SONGEL KOYAH PLANTING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

An extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the above Company was held yesterday afternoon at the offices of the General Managers. Messra Gibb. Livingston & Co. for the purpose of adding to the Articles of Association. were present Mesers. H. P. Tennant (Chairman) H. L. Dalrymple, E. E. Abrahamson (Consulting Committee) J. Perry, S. J. Danby, G. Fen. wick. A Lun and L. Hallward (Secretary). The SECHETARY having read the notice con-

vening the meeting. The CHAIRMAN said-Gentlemen, as you are aware from the notice just read, this meetor is called to pass certain resolutions to Kunu-pai, and that when he hard-a starboarded ments shall remain unpaid, and to enable the tain's not seeing the change in the Kung-par Company to sell, re-allot, or otherwise dispose of the same. The amendments of the articles Company, and have been open to examination starboard for the purpose of clearing them by any shareholders during the past fortnight. They explain them elves and need no further explanation from me, and I beg to propose "that the following provisions be added and do form part of the articles of Association of this Company and be numbered sub-sections 4 to 12 con- will depend in a great measure upon the sectively of Paragraph 12 of the articles of Association." (The proposed articles which are to the effect mentioned by the Chairman this last question I must first state my conwere here added.)

Mr. Danny seconded, and the resolution was | which have been more or less in dispute. carried unanimously. the evidence I think that the full speed of the The CHAIRMAN said that concluded the Ancona on the morning in question must business. A confirmatory meeting would be held be taken at 9, and that of the Kung-pai of which due notice would be given. at 7 knots or thereabouts. I am satisfied

SUPREME COURT. 14th April.

IN VICE ADMICALTY.

SEPORE HIS HONOUR MR. FIELDING CLARKE. ately she perceived the alteration in the Ancona's Acting Chief Justice, with Lieur. LORY, R.N., AND CAPTAIN SEABURY, S. S. and reversed, but I cannot rely upon the en-"CHINA," AS NAUTICAL ASSESSORS.

THE CHINA MERCHANTS STEAM NAVIGATION Co. v. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO. His Lordship gave judgment in this suit. Mr. W. V. Drummond, instructed by Messra.

and Mr. Francis, QC., and Mr. Pollock in which the Ancona received. I think that the energy structed by Mesers. Johnston, Stokes, and Mos. | gines could not have been reversed for as much ter, for the defendants. His Lordship said-This is a collision action man at the wheel is approximately correct, as I brought by the owners of the S. S. Kung-pai think he is, in saying that when he got the oragainst the S. S. Ancona, and there is a der hard a port the Ancong was only a ship's counterclaim by the owners of the Ancona, length off, there would not be much time for against the Kung-pari. On the morning of the the reversal of the engines to operate, though 4th December last the Ancona, going out of I think it is probable that they did operate to, a Hongkong harbour met the Kung-par coming slight exant. Without, however, going further in, and the collision took place a short distance into any question of -inntes or seconds, which I outside the boundary line of the harbour think it is impossible marked in the Admiralty chart by a dotted that the collision for line running between Kowloon Dooks and reversal of the Kung. North Point. The case is extraordinary in the gether with my conciabsence of any facts tending to impede the proper events as above state manceuvring of the two ships. They sighted distance between the each other in broad daylight at a distance of two hard a starboarded w. miles and had each other in full view from thence | mile, and did not in fin to the place of collision. The weather was estimate practically to clear and bright, the tide slack, no currents were officer of the Kung-po experienced and both ships answered their helms | the accuracy of my and were fully manued and in perfect trim, question to the Asse. These circumstances, of course, preclude any pos- i speed of the vessels sible suggestion of inevitable accident and make (3) that the Anomal it certain that blame is to be attributed to one collision in time to or both ships. The Kung-pai is owned by Chi- and (S) that the Rung-pai hard a ported and nese subjects, but it has been made common went full speed as ern as soon as it became stole it. ground between the parties that the regulations evident that the Ancona had hard a starboarded. An Indian constable, P.C. 191, stated that he f 1884 for preventing collisions at sea are and taking into consideration the general saw the first defendant carrying a bundle, and binding upon them equally, and as the case courses of the two vessels as described after leaving the Dock gates hand it to the sehas been urged entirely upon that footing I by the two captains up to the time of the An- cond defendant. Witness questioned him, but think I must assume that no question arises cona's hard a starboarding and the angle at he refused to say what it was, and defendants from the nationality of the Kung-pai. The which the Kung-pai struck her, can you form were arrested. regulations upon which the syldence bears any opinion as to the distance between the two His Worship discharged the first defendant, are the 16th, 18th, 19th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, and vessels when the Ahcona hard a starboarded?" and sentenced the second to six months' hard 1st prize: Silver medal and \$30 .- F. Hors 24th. The Ancona weighed anchor at about 6.20 They answer "To have struck as she did the labour. a.m. and on her way out ported a little-to pass ships must have been within 1 of a mile of each 2nd prize: Bronse medal and \$20.-E. Lam- the American mail steamer Arabic which was other. Probably less." ' hey further state that Ching Hi, 24, a coolie, was brought up on coming in. This brought her near in to the allowing for the Ancone going round in a circle remand charged with stealing jewellery. valued Brd prize: \$20 .- F. Marques, Bt. Joseph's Hongkong side of the fairway, and in that posi- of a mile diameter, as the captain said she did, about \$300, the property of Mr. Justice Fieltion at some little distance inside the boundary and the Kung-pai, being a smaller ship, in a circle ding Clarke, on the night of the 2nd inst. 4th prize: \$15.-C. Marques, St. Joseph's line above mentioned, she sighted the Rung-pai of rather less diameter, and placing the vessels Mr. Fielding Clarke, Acting Chief Justice, over the Western headland of Quarry Bay, on as heading E.N.E. | E. and N.W. by W. | w. | said-I recognise the Treasury notes produced her way from the Lycemun Pass to the respectively, if they were half a mile apart they which were in my despatch box, in my dressing entrance of the harbour, and bearing accord- must have cleared as it was, without even allow- room. I cannot say exactly when I missed them ing to the memory and opinion of the Cap- ing for the Kung-pai having reversed. This butthey must have been taken from it on one or tain and fourth officer of the Ancona, who were confirms my own opinion as to the distance, but two occasions when the despatch box was open at 2nd prise: \$15 .- Its Lammert, Victoria Eng- on the bridge, about a point and a half on taking what I conceive to be the greatest possi- night. Those occasions were, first, one evening as well as in the East. In the event, however, her starboard bow. I may here my that I ble limit I asked the assessors the following about the 2nd March. I had been dining out 3rd prize: \$10.-M. T. Alves, Italian Convent cannot take the evidence of either side with question :- "Assuming that the Captain of the and returned about 12 p.m. I found my des-

of certainty. The Kung-pai had anchored over that the Ancora was to blame.

here yester by was sent into quarantine, having their errors, and in no case do they drag into wrong, which, in fact, teach us the duties of ---two minutes is the time assessed by the Cap- boarded. I think it is evident that atting her was about the analysis of ---two minutes is the time assessed by the Capa case of at all-pox on board. The attack was their miserable life poor children or unhappy mankind. I venture to think that the system tain—ported from 4 of a point for the helm a port was the very worst think that the system tain—ported from 4 of a point for the and encouraged as it is by that generosity such side of midchannel. The courses of the two ships seems to place the following or about that time, I lost a silver hunting watch ment duly passed and assented to by the Queen

The Tung Wa Hospital has issued a printed as we see an example of to day, does away with notice stating that information has been rethand in the difficulty to a great extent at all events, to a great extent at all events at a great extent at all events at a great extent at all events. I believe that the events are a great extent at all events are a great extent

University and threatens to close the colleges low, and to set an example which cannot fail to regards the Ancona hard a arrive is that the Ancona failed without excuse tell beneficially on the world generally. To be starboarding and the collision, there is the usual to keep out of the Kung-pai's way when it was instrumental. in educating mankind, to be in conflict of estimony as to time, distance, speed and her duty to cross, and that the Kung-ras withstrumental in imparting that knowledge which direction, and, as usual, the recollection of those out excuse continued to approach the Ancona at teaches us the duties of mankind, and in spread- engaged, who had organ thinks to think of at full speed after there was risk of collision. ing that learning which makes life pleasurable the time, is at the best a very faulty guide Judgment of both to blame, with the usual of avoiding the Kung p i but the evidence of POLICE COURT. 14th April. port bow, neading, as the captain thinks, for

to see if there was any reply to his whistle,

to port and the single blast on the Kung-pai, and

par's signal at from 30 to 40 seconds, and says tha

captain" why, she is altering her course," but that

got no answer and supposes that the captain

did not hear it. The captain also says that he

stopped the Ancona before the collision on ac-

count of the junks and not on account of the

done without starboarding: From the cap-

sourse and not hearing her signal it looks as

though his attention was concentrated in this

without duly considering her position and

course. The question bowever still rema

whether the manceuvre was in fact a safe aud

that the Ancone's engines were not stoppe

any appreciable effect on her speed. In fact

Struck 6.47" convinces me that the two even

the Kung-pai put her helm hard a port immedi-

course, and that at the same time she stoppe

gineer's log book as showing that she was re-

versed for a minute or more before the collision

inasmuch as the next preceding entry of "full-

speed ahead." after the stopping in the Lyeemum

Pass is obviously incorrect. The Assessors ad

vise me that the Kung pai would have stewed

Wotton and Descon appeared for the plaintiffs, this into consideration with the very direct blow

round quicker with reversed engines, and taking

as a minute before the collision. If the Chinese

do estisfactorily. I think

took place practically at the same moment.

before the collision, soon enough to he

without reference to the Kung-pai

BEFORE Mr. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

A SERIOUS STABBING CASE. Frietz de Voord, 23, a German seamen or board the British steamer Benglos, was charged as the wind fell he di the succeed, and actually with wilfully and maliciously cutting and wound slightly collided with se of the junks shortly ing Augustus Christophson, seaman of the same before the Lung-pai struck him. He says that after he gave the order no watched the Kung-pai steamer, with intent to do him grevious bodily ant harm on the 13th inst.

Andrew Graham, P.C. 55, said that on the hearing none he went over to the port side of the bridge to look at the junks; but it is quite 13th inst. about 11.45 p.m. he went on heard the clear that there was a reply and that the other Bengloe, at that time lying in the Victoria Harbour. The complainant was on board suffering and addressed by Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C., to His witnesses on the Ancona both saw the Kung-pai porting and heard the single blast to intimate from eight wounds. The second officer charged | Excellency the Offair Administering the Governthat she was doing so. The third officer who was the prisoner with stabbing the complainant. in the foregastle with the chief officer save there steamer Bengloe, stated that about 5 p.m. on the portance was about five seconds between the Amenaturning 13th inst., he was in his cabin when he heard some the chief officer says he heard a whistle from the of the crew quarrelling. Witness went out and to sign and confirm on Ordinance which he says Kung-put almost immediately after the blasts saw the prisoner running shout and searching has been passed through the Council improvidfor the complainant, who was trying to hide, ently, and which if its true character and bearfrom the Ancona. The fourth officer fixes the interral between the Aucona's signal and the Kungturned to his cabin. A few minutes after the never have been allowed to be introduced, and prisoner again came aft, and witness called the he states that although he is a shareholder be chief officer and obtained a pair of irons. Wit- did not oppose it earlier as he "calculated on when he heard the single whistle he said to the

this and was there about five minutes. When distely on its coming before the Attorneywitness came out he saw the prisoner striking | General the complainant, who was standing up a little | In reference to the foregoing statement it shaft the bridge. They were both struggling may be remarked that the Bill was duly advertogether, and witness saw the prisoner strike com- tized. In the Government Gazette of the 15th plainant several times. Witness went up and se- March. 1890 (page 259) notice was given to all parated them and sent prisoner forward. The whom it might concern that the Company incomplainant was covered with blood and cuts. tended at an early dute to apply to the Legisla-Witness went after the prisoner and brought tive Conneil for the Bill, and a draft of the Bill him aft. On the way the prisoner made some was therein set forth. In the Government Gakind of a movement causing witness to look zetts of 22nd March at page 285, a similar notice round, when he saw the knife produced lying in | was given, and a statement that the draft of the the scuppers. Witness had him put in frons, Bill could be seen at page 259. The Bill duly and when the Police came on board the prisoner passed through the Council on the 9th April. was given into oustedy. The prisoner is an A. B. and now awaits the shareholders' approval and on board, the complainant being the same. The the Governor's assent. There has therefore proper one as regards the Kung-not and this prisoner had been drinking.

Justus Fall, a seaman and watchman on tore the second reading, and full publicity has board the Hengles, stated that about H. p.m. on | been given as to the intentions of the Directors. tance the Kung-pai, was off at the time it was the 18th, he was on deck, amidships. The com- | and the terms of the proposed Bill. adopted: With a view of explaining my opinion plainant came to him and said he wanted to see clusions upon one or two subordinate points the captain. Witness told him it was too into. From and complainant laid down on the deck. Witness saw the prisoner looking for the complainant, and told him to go forward, the Memorandum of Association and the Articles The prisoner came aft again still looking for of Association of a Company, and to the prethe complainant, but the second officer, coming loadure provided by English law where it is deon deck, told the prisoner to go forward. sired to alter any of the fundamental terms Afterwards the complainant got up and they contained in the memorandum, and he then began fighting. Witness heard the complainant gives seven reasons why he objects to the way "You have got a knite." The second officer | Ordinance. the entry in her "Stand-by" book "Stop and separated them and ordered the prisoner forward Witness saw the prisoner strike the complainant aging Directors did not obtain the authority of think that the evidence is overwhelming that several times, but could not say what with. His Worship remanded the case for a week.

STEALING MONEY. Ching Tin was charged with stealing \$11.80 the property of Ching ling, a chair coolie, on solution. There must therefore be a meeting of

D'Aguilar-street and the prisoner lived with if they wish it, refuse to approve the Ordinance. him. On the 13th inst. about 5 p.m. witness Mr. Francis's second objection is that in his went out and returned about 9 p.m. when he consion the only proper course for the Directors olenver and the money gone.

His Worship sentenced the defendant to six resolution approving the Ordinance, and no harm months' hard labour, the money found to be

Bufobe Me. E. Robinson.

LARGENY FROM THE DOCK COMPANY. Lai Un and Ting I were charged with steal gines, and this to- ing some sine, value \$4, the property of the the sequence of Dock Company, and also a jacket and other vinces me that the clothing, value \$2, the property of Ho Hin, on

when the Ancona the 15th inst. James Yanstone, head watchman of the Docks. reed 300 yards-an stated that about 8 s.m. on the 13th inst. he was as that of the chiof seat for from the Hung Ham Station, and there th a view of testing recognised some sinc belonging to the Dock Comjudgment I put this pany. On the 12th inst. three sheets of sinc were "Assuming (1) The lost; the sheets were 7 ft. by 8 ft. each and were been as above stated being used for the man-of-war Sophie. The senot stop before the cond defendant had been in the employ at the erially affect her speed | Docks for some time.

The first defendant stated that the second

THE JEWELLERY ROBBERT

regard to the bearing of the other's ship at Ancong was right in hard a starboarding in order patch box had been opened and several notes shareholders to consider the whole matter fully any particular moment as a basis for any exact to keep out of the way of the Kung-pai, should taken. On that occasion these notes, which are before attending the meeting at which the let prize: Bronze medal and \$25.—Li Ta'in calculation. It is clear that neither ship was he not have done so before he got wi hin 500 of no value being kept as curios by me, and being steering a course and that no definite bearings | yards of her ?" They answer "Yes, he ought of the Fijian Government before annexation as not appear to be any substantial grievance. 2nd prise: \$15.—Wong Alin, Victoria Home were taken, and the assessors advise me that it not to have tried to orose the Kung-par's bows a British colony, were amongst other \$5 and \$10 would be impossible for witnesses from mere even if he had been as much as half a mile off." notes of this colony and also a quontity of silver bare recollection to fix positions with any degree Adopting this conclusion I feel bound to hold and small silver. There may have been some \$! notes also. The small silver, I should sav

night outside the Lycemus Pass, and at or Next as against the Kung pai it is suggested smounted to about \$50. The Hongkong notes His Excellency, having presented the prises, shortly after 6 a.m., Hongkong time, star- in the first place, that she was infringing the and silver were abstracted on that occasion; ply to be Mr. Francis's opinion, and which he The delivery of the English mail was begun civilisation, much to the advantage of the energy said—Mr. Francis, ladies and gentlemen, it has ted on her way in through the pass. The 21st rule by being on the wrong side of a "ner-The mail reached the and the intellectual force of the latter. But the afforded me very great pleasure to distribute Arabic passed her, as the witnesses say, row channel." The Assessors think that the on another occasion which is detects in the structure of these prizes this afternoon. I have had occasion when, she was in the middle of the entrance to the Harbour is not a narrow chan-Western society seem to him to sander its moral since my arrival in this Colony to express more pass, and she slowed down and stopped at that pel from a seaman's point of view but as I am given in honour of the Duke and Dachess of Sir Cecil and Lady Smith were to leave in superiority doubtful. He notes as salient features than once, the interest I take in the cause of point and then followed for some distance in not satisfied on the evidence that the Kung-pai Connaught, about the 2nd instant. This des gapore for ingland by the M. M. steamer Mel distinctive of the West the prevalence of in- education, but I cannot express this too often. The wake of the Arabic. When off the eastern was on the wrong side it is not necessary to patch box was again broken open, and also other dividualism, the concentration of immense wealth I may say that there is no subject at the pre- head of Quarry Bay she sighted the Ascond on give a definite decision on the point, and have boxes in the same room and in my wife's bed. in the hands of a few, the division of citizens into sent day which excites more general attention her port bow. So far the only point in differ ing regard to the decision of the Privy Countries anything else was existing Imperial and Local law on the subject the two classes of townsmen and countrymen, the in every civilized part of the world that his ence between the parties seems to be the distance of the Rhonda L. R. 8 App. taken at the time, that is to say, anything of of Companies, and is in his opinion entirely beexistence of great towns, the institution of We can scarcely pick up a newspaper of a local and limited Legisstanding armies, and, last but not least, the periodical without finding some comment, or the time the vessels hove in sight of each other. doing so. The assessors consider that it sister and my wife. The defendant was a head lative Assembly like that of Hongkong. He extreme misery into which the weak ere not reading some article on education in one form the Among contending that she was closely would have been impossible for the witnesses on coolie in my employ for some time, but I cannot also states that "Colonial Legislatures have prevented from falling and the frequent neglect or another. But while this is the case, there hugging the shore, while the Kung-pai as they did say how long. He was dismissed about the 15th really very limited powers," &c. It appears to inform us that the C. M. Co. seteemer Chingwo, of women and children. In a passage of touch is no subject in connection with which, as berself well out from land, at a distance over the land, to form a reliable opinion as to went to Canton and Look the defendant and this port ve derday moves for this port ve derday moves for the land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land, at a distance over the land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land, at a distance over the land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land, at a distance over the land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land to connection with which, as berself well out from land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with which, as berself well out from land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with the land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection with the land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection of the land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection of the land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection of the land, to form a reliable opinion as to connection of the land, to this port ye sterday morning.

At telegram from Paris to The Times states that the post of the statement of the course of the statement of th that the Pope, with the consent of the Japanese old blind mother by her side. He repeated this rule. It might serve, I think, as a keep out of the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the Connect about the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to the Ancona, that when the two vessels respect to th Government is about to appoint a Metropolitan to himself his favourite maxim, "No one model for many other countries to follow, and if Regulation the Kang-pai had to keep her tively made their final change of course they after we got back we learnt that Miss Piercy and the Council should be assented at Tokio with four first four first pair that the Council should be assented at can be happy while there exists anyone un- applied in many other countries it might serve course for a steamer in were both half a mile from the shore would place had lost her gold watch and chain. I can be by the Queen, it simply becomes law, and happy,"and went home reflecting on Western or as oil throws on the troubled waters in calming the Kung-par to the north of the fairway, and recognise the watch and chain produced as cannot be a violation of law, and moreover as Christian greatness. "So, then, all their know- dissensions which in many other countries exist. the Kung-pas the Ancona hauled out a little, this is borne out by Mr. Boyd, who as being Miss Piercy's; her initials are engraved already mentioned such a method of alteration ledge, all their art, all their genius. do not We know for example how many difficulties the not as a close spectator I consider the more reliable on the back of the watch. I recognise it by appears to be consistent with the spirit of the suffice to save the weakest and the most question of education has caused in Ireland—and view of getting out of the two shore witnesses, on to the place that, and also the description of the watch. Imperial Parliament so far as it has been asinnocent from misery and shame. So, then, if we look around the world we shall find Ireland merely to have more searous; as he thought he of collision, and who is very positive that it After our return from Canton my wife missed certained up to the present date. It is there. these civilised man pass by with indifference is not people in this respect and we find was getting too near in shore. Although in was much nearer the Kowloon side than the an Indian shawl, a pearl ring, and a gold fore not unreasonable to assume that such an analysis of the same than the such as getting too near in shore. Although in was much nearer the Kowloon side than the such as getting too near in shore. Although in was getting too near in shore. that august thing old age, that scored be- the condition have been caused chiefly his reports of the case made very soon after the Hongkong side. There remain, however, the bangle and also some money. As far as I Ordinance as the one in question will receive ing woman! In our great cities, too, beg- on this eccount; it has been alleged that it collision he stated that the reason for porting at questions whether the Kung-pai in approaching know they have not been recovered. After the necessary consent. ing the German mails dated Berlin, 18th March, gars stretch out their hands, but they are men is impossible to carry on education within that time had reference to the Kun-spai. I am the Ancona should not under the 18th and 24th. that I missed a 35 note from my trousers has to the statement drawing attention to whose misconduct has driven them from the fa- its limited sense of book learning with the inclined to accept his evidence in this respect, Regulations read together, have also keeped pocket, that the boy took away to brush, and it the very limited nature of the powers of the expected here on or about Friday, the 18th inst. mily community, and whose incapacity has in inculcation of these principles of morality, or especially as it seems to me that his precent account or stopped and reversed before she did and was not on my table as it should have been. It Legislative Assembly of this Colony as comconsequence reduced them to beggery. They creligion, if we may choose so to call it, is in keeping with his subsequent con uct. whether she was justified in putting her helm was the only money I had in my pocket at the pared with the powers of the Imperial Parlie.

CORRESPONDENCE

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THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED ORDINANCE 1890.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRISE" BIR.—With reference to the letter addressed on the 10th instant by Mr. Francis to His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, I am requested by my Directors to inform you that they have thought it advisable in the interests of the shareholders to obtain the opinion of Mr. Drummond upon the points raised, and to ask you to be good enough to publish this letter with Mr. Drummond's opinion, a copy of which I forward herewith .- Your

obedient servant, A. SHELTON HOOPER. Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited. Hongkong, 14th April, 1890.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

In the case for opinion submitted to me I am asked to examine the letter dated the 10th inst. ment, and to furnish the Company my observa-Frederick John Hunter, second officer of the tions upon such points as appear to be of im-

bir. Francis entreats His Excellency to refuse Witness sent the prisoner forward and then re line had been noticed beforehand would, he thinks. ness went to the room of the chief officer to do the Bill being thrown out or withdrawn imme-

been ample time for objections to be made be-

Mr. Francis states that his objections are not taken in his capacity as a shareholder, but he emits to state in what capacity they are taken. He refers at length to the difference between

Mr. Francis's first objection is that the manthe Company before introducing the Bill. The 3rd clause of the Bill, however, provides that the Ordinance shall not take effect unless and until the Company has approved it by a special rethe shareholders before the Ordinance can take The complainant stated that he lived in effect, and at that meeting the shareholders can.

found his box had been broken open with a land the Company to adopt is (if the Capital is so greatly in excess of the logitimate objects. P.C. 170 stated that the last witness complain- [of the Company) to reduce . the capital, ed to him of being robbed, and witness went and return the surplus to the shareholders, to the people of the house and made enquiries and he asserts that "nearly every Share-The defendant was not there, but he found him holder would adopt" this course with pleain a brothel and arrested him. He had \$6 upon | sure. If Mr. Francis's assertion on this point is correct, the sharsholders will refuse to pass tho

will have been don't to any one. Mr. Francis's third objection is that if a large majority wish to widen the range of the Company's operations the only safe, proper, and legal method is reconstruction, voluntarily or by Ordinance. I think that the statement that is implied by this is that the course adopted by the Directors in this matter is illegal, and this statement is, I think, incorrect. It is, according to the practice Litherto, unusual, but an Ordinance tely passed and confirmed cannot be called illegal But more than this, the very subject of sitering Memoranda of assessiation by means of

private Auts of Parliament has (as I see in the Public Press) been recently brought before the Imperial Parliament, and Parliament referred the question to a Select Committee, which reported in favour of introducing a general Act of Parliament for the purpose of effecting the proposed alteration. It may therefore be considered as highly probable that a general Act of Parliament will shortly specially sanction a similar course of procedure as regards Companies in England to that proposed by the Directors in the present case. Mr. Francis's fourth objection appears to be a

repetition in different language of the argument contained in the third objection, and the statement reiterated that "most people interested in the Company would like to see its constitution aftered or the thing wound up " is answered by the observation already made, that if this is the opinion of "most pauple interested;" (z.s. shareholders) it is clear that the Directors will fail to carry the special resolution which is necessary before the Ordinance can take offeet, unless the proposed alteration of constitution meets

with the approval of the shareholders. Mr. Francis's fifth objection is that the Ordinance has been passed through the Council without adequate notice to the public or the sharsholders, who are to be found in England of the Directors taking the usual and proper steps to give full notice, and suple time to the special resolution must be proposed, there would Mr. Francis's sixth objection is that " even it

if be desirable to extend the powers of the "Company the extension sought for is far too wide and unlimited." No reason is given in support of this statement, which appears sim-.. Mr. Francis's reventh-objection is a repetition of the commencement of his letter and states that the terdinance is in direct violation of the

always possible that there may be some. tion was made by means of reconstruction under concur in describing him as an extremely elever evident good-will towards uz, I base the highest cyclone demolished the building. the Companies Acts is of such importance as to man. He speaks and writes English with ease, hope of the pleasant and friendly character of The town of Metropolis in the State of Illirender it nudesirable to proceed to carry out although he has only spent six months in Euour future relations with England. I am glad nois has been partially destroyed by the cyclone the alteration by means of an Ordinance, not rope, of which three weeks were passed in of this opportunity of publicly expressing to and several hundred of the inhabitants killed. withstanding the many great advantages of this London. He is an indefatigable worker and him my thanks and reciprocal good-will."

ment has apparently answered this very question his bicycle and levying a cup of very early by expressing in their report the opinion that coffee from a forcing friend on the outskirts as the basin of the lake concerned. As regards prominent building in the town of Metropolis the alteration of memoranda of association by of the city before riding back home to bed. The frontier of Cambodia is defined as far prominent building in the town of Metropolis has been demolished. private acts should be envotioned.

W. V. DRUMMOND. Hongkong, 14th April, 1890.

## HANOI.

FROM A CORRESPONDENT.

HANOZ, 8th April, Saturday last; cool in the mornings and even- bar at the entrance to the river here?" some- interests, and that to the East, the aphere of ings; bright, clear and hot in the middle of the body saked him. "Porhaps for the same reason French interests. As for other relations with tains, where great damage has been done and day. The Societé des Courses de Hanoi were that you English do not make your Channel France, you are probably aware that during many fatalities have taken place.

exceptionally favoured in this respect, Jupiter that he is troubled with more faith than signed by M. de Kergaradec, giving to the A great tract of the Mississi

Playing having for the time expansion his re-Pluvius having for the time exhausted his re- other diplomatists in people's motives, and ab French the same privileges at Luaug Prabang sources. The course being fairly dry, and the hoste doceri is his motto in treating with the English have at Chiengmai, but the of dykes, and it is feared that the floods will Grand Stand well filled with the ladies and gen representatives of Europe. In his office he sits Chamber would not ratify it. Therefore M. tlemen of Hanoi, with a fair number of visitors surrounded with a rampart of books on inter- Pavie is not recognized here as French Consul, ton crop. from Haiphong and elsewhere, the meeting held and the grafting of European punctilio and French Boundary Commission." on the 6th inst. proved a most successful and traditional precision upon Oriental flair and I next reminded the Prince that I had free enjoyable one. The Band of the Marine In patience, make a combination difficult to beat quently heard him speak of the difficulties which fantry were on the ground and played selections The Siamese Minister for Foreign Affairs has a extra-territoriality imposed upon Siam. between the races. The Racecourse was lined in many parts with troops and natives, and pre- banded, against many more powerful and more be avoided. These are not caused by the immusented quite an animated speciacle. The road experienced comers. thither was lined with fings.

The first event, the Prix de Paques, was won by M. Leblanc's pony Mousqetaire. This was nominally a trotting race, but as a matter gallop, a breach of conditions shared in by the winner. The next race was one for Armamite ing considerable skill in riding. The Prix du tum. er Pas brought out a field of ten ponies, and was productive of much interest, the totalisator being in active swing. A good start was effected, and a capital race resulted in the victory of the black pony Carabinier. The following was, however, the race of the day, the Prix de Cloture. for which five ponies came out. A false start was made, owing to the fractionsness of M. always the king's son. There was then no latter reserving the right to transfer the case Phong's Chasseur, and the ponies had to be recalled after some of them had gone half way round the course. However, they got away from an expedition to Chiengmai, during which difficulties, delays and misundertandings." fairly well together at the next osany, and he had left her as Regent. She installed her "With regard to the Department of Justice at fine race ensued between Farfadet, Black, and Admiral, resulting in an exciting finish won by the first named by about two lengths, Phra Tian, was made king, he rewarded the . "Well, the building is ready—you have seen the others coming in in the order named. Far- soldier who had placed him on the throne, by the the new Courts of Justice, that fine building fadetisa Haiphong pony, and the winner of a num. office of 'Second King.' Thus 'the position of with the clock-tower. As for the Code, the eld ber of races, and he showed good stuff on this second King' was created. His present Majesty one is very unsatisfactory; it is made up half of captured some of their camels. He is now reoccasion, and still more in the closing event, the son to the succession, and dropping the title of succession of Kings. The procedure is still more Prize du Printemps, which, although earrying 'Second King,' which by its origin, as you see, so each Minister tries the cases which belong 5 kilos extra, he also secured, by a really fine deserved no special honour, and has revived the to his particular department, and it is a rule effort just before coming into the straight, ancient Sansorit title of Yuvaraj, in its that all the parties to the case must be present an ovation this evening to Prince Bismarck at modern equivalent of 'Crown Prince.' Instead in person—a rule causing endless delays. It Priedricharch. A brilliant torchlight procession for the programme. the front, won amidst shouts of applause. race for Arabs, the Prix du Donar, brought out sig fine looking horses, but these unimals are now old and rather weak in the legs, a fact proved by the manner in which they finished. Though the distance was only once round, three of them dropped out before it was half covered. and the pace had slackened when the winner, mentary Government. You will hardly have and various branch lines, a tot distance of Burnous, passed the post.

Yestorday afternoon, being Easter Monday, and a holiday, several scratch matches were ran more than a man, they almost worship him. The Government pays, not to exceed £100. on the Course, and produced some good sport. the finishes in two cases being very close."

Ith the improvement of the City. Good roads something like 64 nominated the Czar. So it two Government engineers and they say that bar ws. something like the Chinese vehicle. are now much in use removing soil, and as all of them are innocent of grease the squeaking is advise His Majesty for a certain time." really tremendous and ear piercing. Why this is endured by residents it is hard to say. A little cart grease would rectify the intelerable nuisance, and it should certainly be obtiated.

## OLD AND NEW SIAM.

AR INTERVIEW WITH H. R. IL. THE STAMES MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

(By Arrangement with the Author.) In Siam, as elsewhere, the old things are passing away. But the change does not consist, Kelohome into two, like your Horse Guards and sentation of authoritative Siamese statements the Prince at Friedrichsruh. like the changes of most other Oriental countries, War Office; by coupling Education and Eccle and ideas about Siam has ever been pubsimply in the adoption one by one of European statical Affairs and giving them a separate lished. I submit it, of source, entirely without methods and ideas. Siam is developing à la portfolio; by creating a department of Posts oritions of my own. Siamoiss—what she is to-day, and what she hopes and Telegraphs when Siam adhered to the Postal to become to-morrow are to no small extent the Convention; and by consolidating a department evolution of what she was ages before steamships of Public Works from various other bureaus. and tramways and telephones and missionaries A Ministry of Justice is also to be reorganized were heard of. The European community in and consolidated." Bangkok are the last to perceive this, but as I "All these Ministries," I next asked the have explained elsewhere, their occupations and Prince, "which used to be scattered about are lish mail of the 14th March, arrived yesterday. interests do not often lead them into paths where | now brought actually within the walls of the this change is conspicuous. Of course European Palace. Why is that P. .. To foreign eyes it influence is evident at every step of the evolu- suggests many things." tion, but so is Siamese. There is nothing Japanese. "Nothing could be simpler. As you will for example, in the new Japanese Constitution: already have gathered. His Majesty is strongly there is much that is Biamese in the growing gifted with what I believe you call the historic political organization of Sism. The great sense, and this is still another example. It is a

European and half Siamese.

rifles of the soldiers; the scarlet laucers; the Ministers gradually withdrew their official work in any part of the Empire shall apply to the move for a conference of the chief commercial brass bands; the birthday hall; the Department into their own houses, and as a consequence got whole Empire. of Education—there is no end to these into the habit of doing protty much what they things. But the Siamese half is no less real, liked. The King has simply enforced a return though it is infinitely less noticeable to foreign to the Sala Luk Khoon under the altered condieyes. The great office of Second King has tions of modern times." disappeared; his palace is given over to the state . "And provincial government?" carringes, and his official landing-place is described ... The Siamese provinces are divided into two at the river-side. The man who would have classes—subject and dependencies. The former been second King in the old order of things is are subdivided according to importance into four Minister of Finance under the new order. The classes, of which there are 3 first-class, 12 seconddignity of Crown Prince has been created; the class, 8 third-class, and 41 fourth class. All these the stuthern provinces refused to go, and the show a surplus of three millions sterling. most gorgeous known to Siamese memory. The Bangkok in all details. In the dependencies we withdraw the order. There is much discontent Ministers of State no longer exercise their reserve all the rights of succession, of appeal, and in the city. powerful functions in the privacy of their own of relations, either political or commercial, with A COMMISSION OF INQUIRY ON THE THEAT. palaces—as the Chinese Mandarin at his own foreign countries. There are 12 provinces in Yames. Their offices have almost all been the Maley Peninsula, and 44 in the Laos country brought within the very walls of the palace, and .- 5 Lao Chien and 39 Lao Kao, and 9 Cambodian. they themselves must meet His Majesty every To some of these we have sent commissioners to will be nominated to inquire into the atrocious here. Bir James Fergusson, in reply to a quesday. The distant provinces have been reined in, said that the strictures of His Royal Highso to speak, one by one. From Burmah to An- Chiengwai, Luang Phrabang, Passak, &c." nam, from China to the British Protected States Talking of the provinces brought us naturally. of the Malay Peninsule, the grasp of Bangkok to the much discussed question of the Burmahhas tightened on them all. Once an indepen- Siam boundary, and the joint Anglo-Siamese dent chieftain ruled all the hardy Laos from Commission at present on their respective ways Chiengmai; now the King has his daughter to settle it. It is regarded as an important wife and the King's brother "assists" himin his rule. Again, Mr. Palgrave, when British Consul, was hand in glove with the Siamese authorities:

Mr. Gould, when I arrived, had not been able, in spite of repeated afforts, to obtain an interview with the Foreign Minister for two moditis and two days. What does it all mean? Wanting about this and found him willing with a little to know. I determined to ask. to know, I determined to ask.

has upon persons and property within the marchs, is not to be saked membered questions gladly accepted it. We desired the invest Caspian to Russian vessels, and granted to Rus, the French delegate to the Labour Conference, United Kingdom.

The Select Committee of the present Parlia- Foreign Office, riding off at daylight on France?"

What about the boundary between Siam and by the cyclone has been appalling and perfectly nuperalleled. The town of Bowling Green in

really first-rate player. I suspect that more sion. M. de Kergaradeo, the French Charge . It is now hoped that the number of deaths at than one parsistent applicant for an interview d'affaires in Siam, proposed the watershed of the Louisville has been overstated and that they has fought the flies of the Foreign Office, im Mekong as the boundary, but I would not enter will not exceed three hundred. agining the Minister to be deep in some political tain it. We are aware, by the way, that the Heavy floods have taken place in the Missis-confabulation, while in fact the Minister's pro- French ambassador proposed to Lord Salisbury sippi and the lowlands there are doomed. Boats blems at the moment were only those of the that an imaginary line should be drawn down the are scrively engaged in resoning the inhabitants. Splendid weather has prevailed here ever since "Why on earth do you Siamese not remove the of that should be considered the sphere of British nonneing tornades and torrential rains in varhard row to hoe, but so far the Krom Luang "Yes." he said, "it is a source of endless an-

as I had previously told Prince Devawongse who claim to be under foreign protection. There that I was as fond as himself of working at night, are thousands of these, many of whom were even and a Foreign Office official came to fetch me born in Bangkok, who escape all Siamese regulafrom my host's house, two hundred yards away. Itions on the plea that they are British or French fact most of the ponies frequently broke into a The night was deliciously cool and quiet and we or Dutch or Portuguese subjects. That is, settled down yary comfortably for a long talk they are Siamese or foreign, just as best suits over tee and cigars, under the great punkah and them at the moment. One of your European surrounded by the books and maps and portfolios | philosophers said of the European system of Jockeys, and it was well contested, several show. and portraits of the Minister's luxurious sauc- marriage, that under it a man halves his

I began by reminding the Prince of the strik- people of optional nationality; it is just the coning internal changes I spoke of at the beginning trary; they halve their duties and double their of this letter. What does it mean? I asked him. rights." In what direction is Siam going? "First allow me to tell you a little Siamese

history," he replied. "In the first dynasties of with the British Consul at Chiengmai-or Ayuthis, the ancient capital of Siam, before it perhaps like the Mixed Court of Shanghal sall was destroyed by the Burmeso king Bureng cases to be tried by a Siamese judge with the Nong in 1562, the successor to the crown was foreign Consul concerned, to watch the case, the Wang Na or Second King. The position was to his own Court if he is dissatisfied with the created through the action of the queen of King verdict. Nothing could be simpler, nothing some of the prisoners kindly and enquired of Pra obsi, who died immediately after his return fairer, nothing safer, and it would remove many lover, a man of insignificant position, as the king. which you just now said is to be reorganized and In consequence, a revolution took place, and when consolidated, may I ask upon what lines it will a priest and relative of the late king, named be constituted? action is a wise conservatism."

scheme of constitutional Government?" "Yes, though of course one adapted to the Siam, the question of railways is the most pro- stantinople stating that the Saltan has ratified with for or sight rain. conditions of Sismess society. Every day he minent commercial and economic question at Sir Henry Drummond Wolf's Egyptian Con-

understood the relation of king and people in about 850 miles, the whole surve, to be com-Siam. To the people the king is everything, he pleted within 36 months from March 16th, 1888, can do no wrong, his word is absolute law, he is and the average cost per mile, which the Siamese nearest parallel in your knowledge must be the "Sir Andrew Clarke's engineers," said the Caar of Russia. I remember reading somewhere Foreign Minister, "have just handed in the that when one of the Russian nobles tried the survey of the first section, of 43 miles from Things are quiet enough here now, and the experiment of asking his own tenants tonominate Bangkok to Ayuthia, the cost of which has been everament are proceeding slowly but steadily a representative to a Council, out of a hundred 242 per mile. We have submitted this to our would be with us. A parliamentary government the survey will have to be gone over again. We per been made, and broad side walks exist in is not suited for a country where the mass of the have objected, too, to a good many items of expense, but I doubt if much thought has been people is not yet educated up to it and does not pense, such as the subscription to two copies of wed on the drainage. The native wheel- desire it, and to inaugurate such a system before the Bungkok Times and the Siam Mercantile the time is ripe for it would simply be to court | Gozette. The theverament has expressed no indemagoguery and revolution. The gist of the tention whatever of building this line, as it is new order of things will be a Council of State to not our desire to have the railways of Siam

> "They will be nominated by the King." the present state of things, where the King every afternoon P"

simply to consider intelligently the nature of begin the survey." the change taking place to day. His Majesty

audience-hall of Bangkok is architecturally half return to the old custom of the Sala Luk Kheon Bismarck to day. or Executive Mansion, an assembly hall in

reluctance, to talk of it.

bal of work and inconvenience, but a very nister for Foreign Affairs. Siam depends upon are doing the same. So it will be a survey, waters of the Ohio. in every way a great advantage to the general the perfect confidence and intimacy of his operation with the Indian Government against least two hundred persons killed. that it does not provide the legal procedure for nistrative affairs of Siam as they are known to standing that we should have full control of the the inmates were burnt to death. provided by the ordinary method of reconstructo answer my questions.

this side of the Salween. This was negotiated strained to the salween. The "Krom Luang," as his Siamese title runs, through the British representative here and I much feared. the case that there are no dissentients, but it is is a short man with a bright round face, of soru- cannot understand how the Indian Governlways possible that there may be some.

pulously polite manners, who conceals a mass ment could afterwards countenance the Kerenni serious calamities from the cyclone.

The only real question of principle involved of information and a very sharp mind under an claims against Siam. I may add here, however,

His other passion is chess, which he plays manders of the French and Siamese troops on the many hundreds have been killed by falling on every possible occasion. Nobody in Bangnot have agreed to maintain the status quo, trees or burnt to death in the fires that have kek can touch him at this and I believe he is a until the completion of the work of the commis-

may easily claim to have held his own, single novances and trouble which might perfectly well My appointment was for eleven o'clock at night, us no trouble whatever. But it is the Asiatics rights and doubles his duties." With these

"What remedy do you propose P" "An arrangement something like that in force

at the one Court of Justice and to model the "Is it true that His Majesty is meditating a Siamese code upon your Indian codes."

As in China and the Malay Peninsula, so in

devotes some time to the details of the scheme." this moment. A survey is being made by a firm vention, "Can one make any forecast of its nature?" of contractors represented by Lieut. Gen. Sir "Can one make any forecast of its nature?" of contractors represented by Lieut. Gen. Sir "Well, it will not be anything like Parlie Andrew Clarke for a main line to Chiengmai built with foreign capital, under the present How will the members of this Council be conditions of extra-territoriality. We have

given a Concession to a Siamese Company to of sympathy towards him. The route to the lay a line to Patriew, and the Government itself railway station was thronged to the attermost "But that will not be so very different from | will build one to Korat, with the view of pro- by enormons multitudes of people, who cheered ! longing it towards the North-east, so as to tap | the ex-Chancellor uncessingly. The carriage meets all the officials and princes in audience and greatly develop the trade which is now diffi- in which he rode was accompanied by a gnard cult of exit. In fact our own English engi- of honour and troops lined the streets. things by separating the Treasury from the home, just as the watchman was calling the members of the corps diplomatique. Foreign office; by dividing the old office of third watch—three s.m. I believe no such pre-

HENRY NORMAN.

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The P. & O. steamer Thames, with the Eng-The following telegrams are from Ceylon In

THE PRINCE OF WALES AND PRINCE BISMARCK. BEBLIN, 26th March. The Prince of Wates lanched with Prince

dian, and Rangoon papers :--

PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS: Of this two-fold transformation the European the palace to which the ministers came every half meets you at every turn. The King's steam day to transact their business. In His May yachts at another in the river; the repeating jesty's father's time this practice grew slack, resolved that patents and trademarks registered gave notice that on the 18th instant he would be received that patents and trademarks registered gave notice that on the 18th instant he would be received that patents and trademarks registered gave notice that on the 18th instant he would be received that patents and trademarks registered gave notice that on the 18th instant he would be received that patents and trademarks registered gave notice that on the 18th instant he would be received that patents and trademarks registered gave notice that on the 18th instant he would be received that patents and trademarks registered gave notice that on the 18th instant he would be received that patents and trademarks registered gave notice that on the 18th instant he would be received that patents and trademarks registered gave notice that on the 18th instant he would be received that patents are received to the received that the received that patents are received to the received that the recei

GERMANY AND GREAT BRITAIN. LONDON, 28th March. It is stated that the Emperor William assured the Prince of Wales that he will foster the enter into a conference for the formation of a closest relations with Crest Britain. DISAFFECTION IN BRAZEL. RIO DE JANEIRO, 27th March.

Much dissatisfaction exists among the garrison here. A number of troops who were ordered to MENT OF SIBERIAN EXILES.

THE DISTURBANCES AMONG BUSSIAN STUDENTS.

ST. PETERSHURG, 27th March.

Sr. Perenesung, 27th March, ed to St. Petersburg, Charkoff, and Kazan.

LONION. 27th March. It is always best in these cases to begin at the "The preposal of the Indian. Government," The Daily Telegraph publishes at elegram stattop. But the King of Siam, like other mossaid he, "was for a joint Commission and we ing that Persia has opened Murdah Bay in the

I had had the honour of a conversation with tigation to begin from a place where the sian depitalists the refusal of all railway conces, with the Prussian order of the Red Engle. And now, in conclusion, a few general observa. His Majesty, but of course on topics started by defined frontier terminates, at the junction of sions:

tions occur to me in connection with this sub himself. There is, however, an individual in the Salween and Lung yeng rivers. It was de-NEW YORK, 28th March. The Emperor gave a banquet in honour of the ject. I am instructed that the directors have been well aware till and by the favour of his sovereign as Li best to recommende where the others left off.

New York, 28th March.

Ohio valled to this point in 1867 and we thought it the country from Cingles of Wales last night.

Ohio valled to this point in 1867 and we thought it the country from Cingles of Wales last night.

Count Herbert Bismarck, Count York Moltke Subscribed Capital Country from Cingles of Country f decided upon the course they have adopted after be as familiar in Europe as the great Chinese this, and wished the Siamese Commission to go cinnati to Cairo, and resulting in an appalling were among those present. In proposing the fully considering them. The ordinary course Secretary's, if Siam were as well-known as to Rangoon, to which we did not see our way disaster at Louisville, wherethree hundred houses health of his visitor the Emperor eulogised the of reconstruction involves winding up, liquids. China. This is. H. B. H. Prince Devawongse to agree. Thereupon the Indian Government were demolished by the force of the wind and the Army and Navy of England, which he hoped tion, fresh registration, and not only a great Varoprakar, half-brother to the King and Mi- declared they would act independently and we railway station blown bodily into the raging would always be combined with Germany in the

and a very nominal expense, and is therefore impinges upon the outside world. He enjoys in a joint commission. We did our part in co- the time of the disaster, was overtarown and at visit Berlin again. body of shareholders. The only difference is brother and tovereign, and he knows the admi- the Kerenni to their satisfaction, on the under- Many buildings caught fire after falling and paying off dissentient shareholders which is no one else. He was clearly therefore the person territories encrosched upon by the Kerenni on The dykes at Greensville, Mississippi, are was killed by a tiger on a shooting excursion this side of the Salween. This was negotiated strained to the utmost and a disaster there is near Bhosawal. The tiger was subsequently

is whether the fact that, if the alteration is care exterior of simple good-humour and apparent that several prolonged misunderstandings have Detailed accounts of the cyclone state that ried out by means of an Ordinance, dissentient frankness which take you off your guard at first. slready, been adjusted with ease between Cape eight hundred lives were lost at Louisville, of shareholders cannot compel the Company to buy His friends and enemies and like every other tain Jones, the new British Minister, and myself. which number three hundred were those of them out as they would be able to do if the altera- successful diplomat he has many of the latter and upon his great courtesy and experience, and people dancing in the Town Hall when the

Reports come from other towns of floods and

The destruction caused in the area traversed

ious towns in the Western Alleghany moun-

NEW YORK. 31st March. A great tract of the Mississippi Valley is submerged by the bursting of a number not subside in time for planting the next pot-

LONDON, 29th March. In the House of Commons the Tithes Bill Older Malwa ..... has passed its second reading by a majority of Patas (New) ...... \$4971 per chest. one hundred and twenty-five votes THE LABOUR CONFERENCE.

Berlin, 29th March. The Protocol of the Labour Conference will be signed to day.

The Labour Conference recommends that courts of arbitration be appointed to decide all labour disputes, and that periodical International Congresses be held for the interchange of views and experiences, thereby creating a basis for an international labour law. The Conference also recommends limitation

of labour in the case of women and children and stoppage of work on Sunday, substantially, in Barometer 9 A.M. .. 29.94 Therm. 9 A.M. (Wet bulb) 7 accordance with the laws of Great Britain on the subject. Each State is to be left to execute the subject. Each State is to be left to execute Thermom. 9 A.M. 78 Therm. Maximum fover the recommendations of the Conference in its Thermom. 1 P.M. 75 Therm. Minimum fover THE GRAND NATIONAL.

LONDON, 28th March. In the race for the Grand National Ilez was first, Pan second, and M. P. third. MILDER MEASURES FOR RUSSIAN PRISONERS. ST. PETERSDERG. Slet March. The Czar and Czarina paid a visit to the military prison here. Their Majesties addressed

them the causes of their arrest. They then liberated sixty and reduced the sentences of others. Madame Tchebrikova, who lately wrote s threatening latter to the Czar, has been released by express order of His Majesty. THE DERVISHES. CAIRO, Slat March. Colonel Wodehouse reached Fisket on Thurs-

day, where he encountered a dervish patrol and PRINCE BISMAROK AT HAMBURG. The citizens of Hamburg of all classes gave

THE EGYPTIAN CONVENTION.

TROUBLES IN CRETE. CONSTANTINOPLE, 31st March. Several sanguinary skirmishes have takenplace in Crete between the Turkish troops and Barometer ......... the insurgents. The Turkish agents in Greece | Temperature ...... have warned Chakir Pacha, the Governor-General of Crete, that an invasion of Crete by an armed expedition is impending.

THE ELECTIONS IN PORTUGAL Lisson, 31st-March. The Portuguese Government have carried the eleptions which have just been finished. Major Serpa Pinte has been elected for Lisbon. THE REVENUE.

LONDON, Ist April. The net increase in British Revenue for the year ending yesterday is 2330,000. The Excise Duties show a decrease of a million and a half. PRINCE BISMARCK. BEBLIN. 29th March.

Prince Bismarck's final departure from Herlin to-day was the signal for a great outburst

"No, and the way to forecast the future is neer, Mr. Gordon, goes to Korat this week to At the railway station, where mountains of bouquets had been deposited by his admirers of Bo ended our interview, and the Prince called every class, were assembled members of the has already advanced from the old order of for an attendant and a lamp-bearer to escort me Cabinet and other state officials, besides ali A popular ovation is also being organised for THE BUSSIAN BUDGET.

Sr. PETERSBURG, 20th March. The surplus in the Russian Budget for 1889 FEIHE amounts to thirteen and a half million roubles. STRIKE IN THE SHOR-TRADE. LONDON. 30th March. Ten thousand shoe-laster's and finishers have

struck work in London. They claim work-rooms on the masters' premises. THE HOUSE OF COMMONS STEEPLECHASE. LONDON, 30th March. The House of Commons point-to-point Steeplechase took place yesterday over the Pytchley country. Mr. Walter Long's Crusader won the fourteen stone class, and Mr. Lees, with horse Damon, won the twelve stone class. The owners rode their own horses. There was a

most brilliant assemblage present.

BIMETALLISM. a bimetallic system. Mr. Playfair will move an 8 to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour. amendment to the motion that it was not desirable that England as chief creditor, should bimetallic league enabling debts contracted in gold to be repayable in silver.

THE BUDGET. LONDON, 1st April. THE BOMBAY DEFENCES. LONDON, 20th March.

In the House of Commons this afternoon, attention was drawn to the speech of the Duke of Connaught, at the Bombay Yacht Club Dinner Cent Coupons and REDUCED TICKETS at the on Saturday week, summaries of which have Office. It is reported that an Imperial Commission been published and commented on in the Press ness were perfectly justified. The armament of the forts was inefficient, and the turret ships THE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONI and the torpedo boats were without crews. He The disturbances among students have extend- added, however, that His Royal Highness's remarks would have the desired effect, for he might inform the House, that the authorities were now providing new gans and crews for the Colonel Wodehouse with a mounted force has forts and vessels engaged in the defence of

> OBITUARY. LONDON, 20th March. Mr. Swetenham, Conservative member for Carnaryon district. A FRENCHMAN DECORATED.

BEBLIN. 21st March. Emperor William has decorated M. Simon. THE PRINCE OF WALES AT BERLIN.

interest of peace. The Prince of Wales in reply-The City Hall at Louisville, in which a nu- ing thanked the Emperor for the sentiments heavy expense, whereas the passing of an Ordin- His Majesty as the solar system depends upon the more than anything else. We regret that the The City Hall at Louisville, in which a nuling thanked the Emperor for the sentiments and requires very little work, no inconvenience, sun, but Prince Devawongse is Siam where it affair has failed to be so arranged as to result mercualy-attended meeting was being held at expressed and said he hoped be might often

> KILLED BY A TIGER. POONA. 23rd March. Dr. Thompson of the 10th Bombay Infantry shot by Dr. Thompson's orderly.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

MONDAY, 14TH APRIL. EXCHANGE. DE LONDON. Telegraphic Transfer ......3/12: Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight ...... 3/21 Bank Blils at 4 months' sight ..... 372 Documentary Bills, 4 months sight 3/24 N PARIS .-Bank Bills, on demand ................3.98 Credits, at 4 months' sight .........4.07. OR GERMANY. after sight NEW YORK. ON BOMEAY.-Telegraphic Transfer ......219 Bank, on demand ......220 CALCUTTA-SHANGHAL-

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Sovereigns, Bank's Buying Rate ..... 6.24

EXPORT CARGO. Por steamship Mirsapore, sailed on the 9th April :- For London-75 chests tes, from Foochow, 350 balss hemp, from Manila, 179 packages canes, 5 cases bristles, 24 cases woodenware, B cases silk piece goods, and 80 packages sundries. For France-266 bales raw silk, and 18 cases silk piece goods.

HONGKONG. TEMPERATURE. MESERS. FALCONER & CO.'S REGISTER, APRIL 14TH Barometer 1 P.M. .. 29.89 Thorn. 1 P.M. (Wet bulb) 7 Barometer 4 P.M. .. 29.86 Therm. 4 P.M. (Wet bulb) 7 PETROROLOGICAL REGISTEE.

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The: Times publishes a telegram from Con-Formore Channel. Cloudy, warm and damp weather provails

HONGKONG BEGISTER. Previous | On date | On date day 4 p.m. st 10 a.m. st 4 p.m. Force of wind

Hongkong Observatory, 14th April, 1890. FOR SALE.

MUMM TULES CHAMPAGNE, Qts. \$20 & Pts. \$21. Dubos Frenes & DE Grenon & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS. AND

WHITE WINES. CHAU. LEOVILLE, at \$23 per Case of 1 doz. CHAU. MARGAUX, at \$28 BAXTER'S "BARLEY BREE," (Celebrated 7 years Old WHISKY, -at \$8.25 per Case of 1 dos. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, 10th November, 1888. PREMIER CHAMPAGNE

Is BINET, FILS' DRY ELITE, So labelled and branded It is Shipped to the Hongkong representatives of CUTLER, PALMER & Co., who are MM. BINET, FILE' Agents.

Price, 824. PRIVATE BOARD & RESIDENCE. TARS. FALCONER will have vacancies for Gentlemen Resident Boarders at Cowloon after Sist January. Hongkong, 10th January, 1890. TONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM

WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED. TIME TABLE. WEEK DAYS.

12 to 2 p.m. every half hour. (Tiffin Carat 12.45) 8 to 7:30 p.m. every quarter of an hour. THURSDAYS. NIGHT TRAMS at 10.30 and 11 p.m. SATURDAYS. NIGHTTEAMS at 8.45; 9, 10.30 and 11 p.m. SUNDAYS. It is expected that Mr. Goschen's budget will 10.40 a.m.; 12 (Noon) to 2 p.m. every quarter of an hour. 3 to 7.30 p.m. every quarter of an hour.

> tion to the Superintendent. Single Tickets are sold in the Cars; Five-MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 1st November, 1889.

Special Cars may be obtained on applica-

COMPANY, LIMITED. 18: PHAYA CENTRAL, Flongkong. The TELEPHONE EXCHANGE is not in working order. Bubscription; \$80 per Annum. Electrical Material on sale, or hire.

Electric Brills fitted and maintained. Agents for Electric Lighting. Estimates free for all kinds of Electrical work A. SANDFORD, Hongkong, 1st December, 1888.

BANKS AND LAND CO.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT AND AGENCY COMPANY,

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: Hon. J. J. KESWICK, Chairm . n } Managing .. C.P.CHATER, Vice-Chairman | Directors LEE SING, Esq. St. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq. J. S. MOSES, Esq. G. E. NOBLE, Esq. IUN PONG, Esq.

THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

Money advanced on Mortgage on Land or Properties purchased and sold.

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Estates managed and all kinds of Agency and Commission business relating to Land, &c., conducted. Full particulars can be obtained at the Company's Offices, No. 5, Queen's Road Central. A. SHELTON HOOPER.

Victoria Buildings, "Hongkong, 3rd May, 1889. T ONGKONG SHANGHAIBANKING COEPORATION EAID-UP CAPITAL \$7.500,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPERTY 7.500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS :-H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq.—Chairman. J. S. Moses, Esq. Deputy Chairman, T. E. Davies, Esq. W. H. Forbes, Esq. Hon. A. P. MacEwen. H. Hoppius, Ésq. Han J. J. Keswick. Possnecker, Esq. D. R. Sassoon, Esq. . McConnchie, Esq. Chief Manager.

Hongkong-G. E. Noble, Est. MANAGER. Shanghai-JOHN WALTER, Esq. London Bankers—London & County hank HONGHONG-INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Carront Deposit Account at the rate per cent, per Annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:-For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. Local Bills Discounted. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

DEAFTS granted on London and the chie

commercial places in Europe, India, Australia America, China and Japan. G. E. NOBLE. Chief Manager. Hougkong, 3rd April, 1890. NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION. LIMITED.

Head Office......40. THREADNERDLE STREET, West End Office, 25, Cookspur Street. Branches in India, Persia, China, Japan

AND THE COLONIES. THE BANK receives money on Deposit, LETHE Undersigned having been appointed Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues | Agents for the above Company, are Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, prepared to ACCEPT RISKS, agains. FIRE and Transacts Banking and Agency Business at Current Rates. renerally on terms to be had on application.

Interest allowed on Deposits:-Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. Fixed for 8 months, 3 per Cent. per annum. On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per Annum on the daily balance.

Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSUBANCE GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR. Manager, Hongkong Branch. Hongkong, 12th March, 1887. NOTICE.

ULES OF THE HONGKONG pany, are propared to ACCEPT SAVINGS BANK. -The business of the above Bank will be ducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai

Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days. 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. 2.—Sums less than 21, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having 100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang- BAN HUP, Esq. hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for CHAN LI CHOY Esq. Q. HOI CHUNE, Esq. 12 months at 5 per cont. per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 3; per cent. per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances.

5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July. 6.-Correspondence as to the business of the Batik if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his daly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANK-

G. E. NOBLE. Chief Manager. Hangkong, 1st January, 1889.

ING CORPORATION.

號 生 s COAL MERCHANTS. have always on hand LARGE STOCKS OF EVERY DESCRIP TION OF COAL. Address:—Care of Mossie: Kwong Sang & Co., No. 68 PRAYA

FOR BALE. THAMPAGNE "MONOPOLE. -HEIDSIECK & Co.-MONOPOLE RED SEAL (reediam dry) Do. "Bee" RED FOIL (dry). (extra dry).

CARLOWITZ & Co., Sole Agents for HEIDSIECE & Co., RRIMS, For Hongkong, China, and Japan. Hougkong, 1st July, 1885. [1383

JAPAN BUPPLY HE SHIP COMPRADORES. COMMISSION MERCHANTS JOHN A. PEEBLES. Manager No. 27, MAIN STREET, YOKOHAMA. Yokohama, 3rd February, 1890. SPECIALITIES.

NVALIDSPOR CUTLER PALMER'S. Analysed and Certificated by PROFESSOR CARBALL. Each bottle bears his Certificate of Parity. The Wine is as designated. Apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

ANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG. FE HE Undersigned having been appointed A AGENTS for the above Company, are pared to GRANT INSURANCES to the tent of \$100,000, on first-class risks at our rent rates.

Hongkong, 16th February, 1889.

ATLAS ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON. PAID UP CAPITAL ...... 2,500,000 pared to ACCEPT RISKS against I IRE at

EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.,

Hongkong, 12th April, 1890. THE CHINA FIRE INSU TANCI COMPANY, LIMITED, ESTABLISHED 1870. HEAD OFFICE .- Hongkong. CAPITAL TWO MILLION DOLLARS. PAID-OP CAPITAL .....\$ 100,000 RESERVE FUND ...... 700,000 CLAIMS PAID..... BONUSES PAID RISKS accepted at CURRENT RATES OF PREMIA.

GEO, L. TOMLIN, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 6th March, 1890, GENERAL LIFE AND FILE ASSURANCE COMPANY IN

LONDON.

THE Undersigned having been as cointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE and LIFE at Current Rates. REUTER, BRÖCKELMANN & Co. Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. NYORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

As Agents of the above Company we are prepared to except RISKS against FIRE at Current rates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 2nd May, 1889;

SOUTH BRITISH FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND. PAID-UP CAPITAL AND RESERVES ... F210,000 The Undersigned are prepared to accept

FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on

favourable terms.

Current rates and a guaranteed Bonus equal GEORGE R. STEVENS & Co., 6. Queen's Road, Hongkong. Hongkong, 11th February, 1890:

THE INDIAN IMPERIAL MARIN INSURANCE COMPANY. LIMITED. The Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are pressed to ACCEPT MARINE RISKS at Current

GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkenz, 6th November, 1889. RANSAPLAN GALLEINSUFANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG. the Undersigned, having been appointed

Agents for the above Company, are prepared to

ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. FIRE, INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG.

REUTER BROCKELMANN & Co.,

Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. DHENIX FIRE OFFICE The Undersigned are now prepared to GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against

FIRE at Current Rates." DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Agents for the Phonix Fire Office. Hongkoug, 17tb agast, 1887. TUEEN FILE INSURANCE

The Undersigned, Agents for the a ve Comagainst FIRE at Current Rates. NORTON & Co. Hengkong 16th July, 1887.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COM. PANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG. CAPITAL (SUBSCRIBED), \$1,000.000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LUM SIN BANG, Esq. YOW CHONG PR 1G. Esq.

The Company GRANTS POLIC ES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, payable at any of its Agencies. Contributory Dividends are payable to all each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must Contributors of Business, whether they are Shareholders or not. WOO LIN YUEN,

> HEAD OFFICE. No. 2, Queen's Road West. Hongkong, 14th March, 1881.

MAILS EXPECTED. THE AMERICAN NATE.

The O. & O. steamer Belgic, with the Amerimail of the 22nd March, left Y kohama on the 12th, and is due here on the 18th inst. THE CANADIAN MAIL The C. P. steamer Abyssinia, with the Canadian mail, left Shanghai for Rongkong on the

The C. P. steamer Parthia, with the Canadian mail, left Vancouver on the 11th inst. THE GERMAN MAIL The N. D. L. steamer Bayern, with the German mail of the 18th March, left Singapore

12th inst.

[745] on the 18th, and is due here on the 18th inst. STEAMERS EXPECTED. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Patroclus left Singapore on the 9th, and is due here on the 16th

instant. The Union Line steamer Exe left Singapore on the 12th, and is due here on the 18th inst. The O. S. M. steamer Chinggeo left Singapore on the 14th, and is due here on or about the 20th

The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Tannadice left Port Darwin for Hongkong via Timor on the 11th, and is due here on the 21st irst.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each dry in our Extra, which is always GENERAL CONTRACTORS. corrected to a much later hour than that given A MAIL WILL CLORE.

For Straits and Calcutta .- Per Kutsang, to |452 day, the 15th inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Amoy and Mapila. Por Nansing, today, the 15th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Swatow, Amor, and Foodbow.-Per Haitan, to-day, the 15th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Saigon -- Per Zamberi, to-day, the 15th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Holhowand Pakhoi. Por Alwine, to-day, the 15th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Haiphong .- Per Clara, to-day, the 15th inst. at 5.00 P.M. For Singapore .- Per Bellona, to-morrow, the 16th inst., at 9.30 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.-Per THE NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSUITA Verona, to-morrow, the 16th inst, at 5.00 P.M. For Swatow and Bangkok.—Per Mongkut.

to morrow, the 16th inst, at 5.00 P.M. For Yokohama and Ban Francisco.-Per China, on Thursday, the 17th lust, at 1.30 P.M. For Saigon .- Per Falkenburg, on Thursday, the 17th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Nagaeaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and Vancouver. Per Abyssinia, on Thursday, the 24th

DUNN, MELBYE & Co. [17 | inst., at 11.80 A.M.

		THE DAILY I	RESE, TURBDAY, APRIL 1578,	1890.
NOTICES OF FIRMS	INTIMATIONS		ESSELS: ADVERTISED AS LOADIN	VG
THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND DUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.	NOW READY.	DESTINATION. VESSEL'S	NAME, PLAG & RIG. CAPTAIN. FOR	FREIGHT APPLY TO TO BE DESPATCHE
MR. JOHN A. JUPP has been appointed SECRITARY of the above Company.	C GRONICLE AND DIRECTORY FOR 1890.	LONDON, &c., VIA SUEZ CANAL Kaisar-i-H HAVRE, LONDON, &c. Cardigansi		On 23rd inst., at 4 F on, Bell & Co On or about 27th in
JNO. D. HUMPHREYS,  Managing Director.  Hougkong, 10th April, 1890.  [870]	With which is incorporated THE CHINA DIRECTORY. TWENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL ISSUE),	HAVRE & HAMBURG, &c Bellons HAMBURG & LONDON Sumatra MARSEILLES VIA SAIGON, &c. Djemnah	Brit bk. Carlon Fren str. Bonnefoy Messay	rits & Co. Quick 1: ontoh geries Maritimes To-m r doo
MOLIOE.	COMPLETE, WITH APPENDIX, PLANS, &c., &c., Royal Svo. p.p. 1,236\$5.00. SMALLER EDITION, Royal Svo. p.p. 860\$3.00.	VANCOUVER B.C., VIA KOBB &c. Abyssinia SAN FRANCISCO VIA Y BAMA China	Ger. str J. Mergell Meloh Brit sir. Lee Adams Amer str P. M.	son, Bell & Co On 7th May, at 4 is on, Bell & Co On 24th inst., at N S. S. Co On 17th inst., 1 P.
BROKERS, We have To-day Established our- selves as GENERAL AUCTIONEERS.	THE HONGKONG BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.	SAN FRANCISCO VIA Y HAMA Belgio William H NEW YORK P. N. Blan	hard Amer. sh. Ainsbury Russel Carlow	On 29th inst., 1 P.  On 29th inst., 1 P.  Quick despatch.  Quick despatch.
APCAR BROTHERS.  68, Queen's Road Central,  Hongkong, 5th April, 1890.  1821	PRESIDENT: Mrs. W. H. FORBES.	NEW YORK NEW YORK Patagonia VENICE, &c	Brit. bk. Hibbert Russe David	P. Brookelmann & Co. Quick despatch.  On 18th inst., at N
NOTICE.	VIOE-PRESIDENT: Mrs. HARMAN. HON. TREASUREE: HON. SECRETARY:	CALCUTTA VIA STRAITS Kutsang YOKOHAMA VIA N'SKRI, KOBE Verona	Brit. str. C. F. Preston P. & C.	ne, Matheson & Co On or about 14th in the Matheson & Co To-day, at 3 P.M. On 17th inst., dayli
has CEASED to exist, and the Goodwill and Business of the same has been handed over	Mrs. MACKINTOSH Mrs. NOBLE.	YOKOHAMA, KOBE, &c General W. SANDAKAN AND KUDAT Memnon Kaifong	Brit. str. Dorff Butte	rfield & Swire On or about 19th i rfield & Swire On 17th inst.
to and will, henceforth, be conducted by Messra.  HERBERT DENT & Co. of Canton and  Macao.  BIRLEY & Co.	Miss ANDERSON Mrs. HARTIGAN Mrs. BURDON JUST EDE KEBWICK	SHANGHAI VIA AMOT Patroclus SHANGHAI Bayera	Ger. str J. Mergell Melch	ers & Co Quick despatch.
Canton, 15th March, 1890.  EFERRING to the above all amounts due	" HIRST F" LAYTON ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS:	BHANGHAI  MANILA VIA AMOY  BWATOW & BANGKOK  Mongkut  Nation  Mongkut  Haitan	Brit str. Talbot Jardi Brit str. Geo. Anderson Yuen	O. S. N. Co. To-morrow daylig no. Matheson & Co. To-day, at 4 P.M. On 17th inst., 8 A Las Lapraik & Co. To-morrow daylig
bettled by	THE object of this charitable Society (founded September, 1889) is to reflect members of the community other than Chinese	SWATOW, AMOY, FOOCHOW Haitan		
Canton, 15th March, 1890. 761 NOTICE.	or Portuguese in cases of want, poverty, sick- ness, or distress, by supplying medicines, food, medical assistance home passage, money, house	VESSELS ON THE BELTH	COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES	VESSELS ON THE BERTH
R. KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS, late of MESSES. BIBLEY & Co., Canton, has joined our Firm from this date and is	rent, schooling, &c., or otherwise as the circum- stances of each one may require.  The Society's income is derivable from sub-	INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND	PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.	SHIP COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENG
authorised to Sign the name of the Firm.	scriptions and donations. Membership is secured by a monthly subscription of \$1; Life Membership by a donation of not less than \$50.	CALCUTTA. THE Company's Steamship	SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO- LOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ.	TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STAT MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUT AMERICA, AND EUROPE: VIA
NOTICE.	Residents are sarnestly invited not only to subscribe, but also to forward the names and and addresses of persons in need of help, to the	Captain Young, will be despatched as above	ALEXANDRIA, MARSHILLES, AND	OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECT STEAMERS.
Undersigned JOHN DODD in the Firm of Mesers. DODD & Co., at Tameni and Kelung, Formosa, CEASES as from the 1st	Hon. Secretary, or to any Member of the Committee.  1. S. HARMAN, Acting Hon. Sec.	For Freight or Passage, apply to  JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  Conord Managers	PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA; LONDON, HAVRE, AND BORDEAUX.	HE Steamship "BELGIC" wide despatched for San Francisco vid
February, 1890. The Susiness will as from that date be carried on by Mr. TOM GREAVES GOWLAND and Mr. HENRY	Hongkong, 11th April, 1889.   868	Hongkong, 11th April, 1890. [873] FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, AND	ON WEDNESDAY, the 16th April, 1890, at Noon, the Company's Steamship	hama, on TUESDAY, the 29th April, at ONE P.M., Connection being made at I hams with Steamers from Shanghai and J
PERCY WHITE.  JOHN DODD.  Fingkong, 20th March, 1890. [694]	PHOTOGRAPHER,  1, ICE HOUSE LANE  AND 2, DUDDELL STREET.		"DJEMNAH," Commandant Bonnefoy, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above	Ports.  All Parcel Packages should be mark address in full; and same will be received:
	Having Tra-opened his PHOTOGRAPHIC ROOMS	THE Steamship	Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal	Company's Office until Five r.m. the day vious to sailing. First-class Fares granted as follows:—
6 PER CENT. DEBENTURES. NOTICE.	CARTES DE VISITE. CABINETS,	Captain C. Hassloop, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MOBROW, the 16th	places of Europe.	To San Francisco \$22 To San Francisco and return, 399 available for 6 months
INTEREST on the above DEBENTURES for the Six months ending 19th instant.	PROMENADES, &c., &c., are taken daily in any weather. NEW VIEWS of HONGKONG and the COAST	For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,	Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 15th April, 1890. (Parcels are not to be sent	To Liverpool
being due on that date, holders are requested to deposit their Debentures at the Office of the undersigned (Telegraph Buildings) for inspec-		Hongkong, 9th April, 1890.	Office.) Contents and Value of Packages are required.	rates. Special reduced rates granted to O of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, an Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtain
tion on the 17th and/or 18th instant, between the hours of 10 A.M. and NOON, and to call for same and receive payment of interest due on	THE BELILIOS TRUSTEES will hold	RANG, AND SOUBABAYA.	pany's Office.  G. DE CHAMPEAUX,	application.  Passengers by this line have the option of ceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific Northern P
19th inst., also between the hours of 10 A.M. and Noon.  By Order.	an Examination in December next, in the following subjects:  FOR GIRLS LEARNING ONLY	"DEVONHURST," Captain Houghtoff, will be despatched as above on or about the 14th instant.	Hongkong, 4th April, 1890.  2.	Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Nor Pacific, or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full far embarking at San Francisco for China or
R. LYALL, Secretary. Hongkong, 14th April, 1890.	CHINESE.  Composition (a letter to be written in the Chinese character).  Translation from the Chinese character into	For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.	PACIFIC MAILSTEAMSHIP COMPANY	(or vice versa) within one year, wallowed a discount of 10 %. This allowed and apply to through fares from Chin
SONGEL KOYAH PLANTING COM- PANY, LIMITED.	colloquial (using either the romanized or the	1 77 011 4	LAND RATLWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT	Japan to Europe.  Consular Invoices, to accompany Carge timed to points beyond San Francisco i
NOTICE is hereby given to Holders of Shares in the above Company bearing	decimal fractions).  FOR GIRLS GETTING A EUROPEAN  EDUCATION.	STRI THE POST	HEU.S. Mail Steamer "CHINA" will be despatched for San Francisco, via	United States should be sent to the Com- Offices, addressed to the Collector of Cu- San Francisco.
the following Nos.:—	English composition.	Captain C. F. Preston, R.N., will leave for the	Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 17th April, 1890, at 1 r.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.	For further information as to F or Passage, apply to the Agency of the pany, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central.
1276/1285 3641/3650 1396/1420 3651/3660 2021/2030 3931/3935	Elizabeth. FOR BOYS. English Composition.	E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.	portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities	C. D. HARMAN, Ag Hongkong, 5th April, 1890.
2206/2215 4276/4310	Algebra (including quadratic equations) and Mensuration.  History of the reign of Queen Victoria.	CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,	of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the	A FONG. PHOTOG-RAP  Has just added to his COLLECT  of VIEWS some NEW SCENES and I
on which the FIRST CALL of 315 per Share due 16th August, 1889, is still UNPAID, that unless the said Call, with Interest at the rate of	former years. Date and place of Examination will be announced early in November. Amount	FOR TIENTSIN VIA FOOCHOW.	Company's and connecting Steamers.  Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.	of Native Types, copies of which are obtain his Studio or at Messes. Kelly & Wals  Ivory Miniatures of Superior Quali
12 per cent. per Annum from 16th August, 1889, be paid on or before the 15th of April next, the Shares will be dealt with by the Con-	and value of prizes will be specified at the same time.  For the Trustoes,	"KAIFONG" Captain Gyles, will be despatched as above	First-class Fares granted as follows:— To San Francisco	of Excellent and High Finish. PERM. ENLARGEMENTS of PHOTOS, and VIEW reproductions of the same on Paper, Cana
sulting Committee and General Managers in accordance with their powers.  GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,	JNO. J. FRANCIS. Hongkong, 10th April, 1890. [861	on THURSDAY, the 17th inst.  For Freight or Passage, apply to  BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.	available for 6 months	Opal. INSTANTANEOUS VIEWS. (2017) The Training are taken in any state of the Training and the Training and the Training and the Training and Trainin
General Managers. Houghong, 21st March, 1890.   692	MARINE HOTEL, HONGKONG.	Agents: Hongkong, 14th April, 1890. [889]	To other European points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the	and all Permanent Processes, are execu Moderate Terms. STUDIO—ICE HOUSE LANE.
COMPANY, LIMITED.	The Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, that he will	FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.	Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application.  Passengers by this line have the option of pro-	NAPIER JOHNSTONES Superb que
of SHARES in the above Company bearing the following numbers:—  Nos. 151 to 200	THIS FIRST-OLASS HOTEL	for Ningfo, Chefoo, Newchwang, Tientsin, Hankow, and Ports on the Yangtsze.)	cooding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways.	Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD &
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on which the CALL of \$5 per Share due April 25th; 1889, is still Unpaid, and, that unless the	dious, well Ventilated and well Furnished, and are suitable for Single or Married Persons. The DINING HOOM is large and looks on the	on THURSDAY, the 17th just.	allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.	I to Vonya Chrindwy between the 804
centum per Annum from due date be paid at the Company's Office, 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road, Hongkong, on or before the 21st	Harbour. The TABLE D'HOTE will be supplied with	Hongkong, 10th April, 1890.   857	the day previous to sailing. Parcel Package- will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same	Care of American Consulate, March 1890
day of April, 1890, the said Shares will be dealt	The BAR and BILLIARD ROOMS are on the		day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco	CALDBECK, MACGREGOR. &
WAH. WALKER, Scoretary, Hongkong,	Wines and Liquors of the best qualities and Brands only will be supplied.  The Undersigned therefore beys the patron-	BOMBAY, ADEN, HODEIDAH, MAS-	in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.	ESTABLISHED, 1864.
LABUK PLANTING COMPANY,	age of the Public, hoping to give every satisfaction.  JAS. EDWARDS,	PORT SAID, BRINDISI, TRIESTE,	the way of the same and the transfer and the transfer and the	Shanghai, 7. Foochow Road.
NOTICE is hereby given that the 3rd CALL of \$5 per Share on the 4,000 Shares	Hongkong, 21st March, 1890. 1695	(Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT & ADBIATIC PORTS.  THE Company's Steamship	The state of the s	Agencies:—Canton, Amoy, Foochow, kieng, Hankow, Chefoo, Ti and Tameni.
numbered 1001/5000 is PAYABLE to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on or before the 17th April, 1890, and Calls not	A NATURAL SOLERA SHEERY	"ORION," will be despatched as above on the 18th inst.,	CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO	Hongkong, 9th April, 1890. ONGKONG WHARF & GODO
paid on said date are liable to interest at the rate of 12 per cent, per annum.  The TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED	"ANALYTICAL LABORATORY, EDINBURGH.	at Noon. Cargo will not be received on Board after 5 r.m. prior to date of sailing.	JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED	Goods received on STORAGE at Markets, in First-class Godowns.  STEAMER CARGOES discharg
from 7th April to 17th April, 1890.  LABUK PLANTING Co., Ld.  TURNER & Co.,	"Hesers. CUTLES, PALMER & Co. "I have made a careful and exhaustive Analysis of a sample of Sherry of the mark LA TORRE. The results show this Sherry to be a natural Wine of	For Further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to DA:VID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,	RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS.	favourable terms.  Apply to  MEYER &
Hongkong, 17th March, 1390.   656	great purity, free from added alcohol or other addition. The La Torre Shorry is well adapted for	Hongkeng, 7th April, 1899.	"ABYSSINIA"	Hongkong, 2nd July, 1887.
THE HONGKONG BRICK & CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.	"STEVENSON MACADAM, F.B.S.E., F.C.S., F.I.G.,	FOR SANDAKAN AND KUDAT.	3.651 Tone Register, Captain Lee, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., VIA INLAND SEA, KOBE, and YOKOHAMA,	TO LET AT THE PEAK, for Two Years.
SI per Share in the above Company was payable on the 3rd day of March, 1890, and that	Our representatives in Chius can supply this		on THURSDAY, the 24th April, at Noon. To be followed by the S. S. "PARTHIA" on 15th May, and S. S. "BATAVIA," on the	
Calls will be charged Interest at the rate of Ten per Centum per Annum from the due date	291 CUTLER, PALMER & Co.	Captain Dorff, will be despatched as above on or about the 25th, instant.  In future this or other steamer will ply	Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports,	For Particulars, apply to BIRD & PALM
of Association.  W. H. WALKER,	CHAMPAGNE, 1880 WHITE SEAL	only, leaving Hongkong about every eighteen days.	and at Vancouver with Pacific Coast Points, by the regular Steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamers Company and other Steamers.  Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-	TO LET.  DOOMS IN "COLLEGE CHAMBERS.
Hongkong, Dated 11th day of April, 1890.   878	\$22 per case of 1 dozen quarte. \$28 per case of 2 dozen pints. PAUL DUBOIS & Co.'s	For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 12th April, 1890. [885]	land, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows:—	No. 5, PEDDER'S HILL from 1st M No. 2, SEYMOUR TERRACE from
FOR SALE AT HALF-PRICE.  A HANDSOME AMERICAN MANUAL		"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.	To Vancouver & Victoria (Mex.) \$210.00. To Montreal, New York, &c 290.00. To Liverpool	May. 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE. "STONEHENGE," ROBINSON ROAD
AND PEDAL BASS ORGAN. EQUALLY SUITED FOR DRAWING ROOM OR		FOR HAVRE. LONDON, HAMBURG, AND ANTWERP.	To London S30.00.  To other European Points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers	Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS &
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The instrument has Six Octaves of Keys C. Scale, Six Sets of Reeds, Fifteen Stops, vis. Dispeson, Melodia, Viola, Dulcet, Principal,	LORMONT.  \$5 per case of 1 dozen quarts.	on or about the 27th instant.  For Freight or Passage, apply to  ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,	Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des- tined to Points in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to Mr.	Can year from tout April, 100
Celeste, Flute D'Amour, Cello, Cremona, Fugle Horn, Forte, Vox Humana, Octave Coupler, Bourdon Pedal, Manual to Pedals, Grand	OLD HIGHLAND WHISKEY. \$8 per case of 1 dozen bottles.	Hongkong, 11th April, 1890. Agents. 1600 FOR NEW YORK.	D. E. Brown, District Freight Agent, Van- couver, B.C.  Freight will be received on Hoard until 4 P.M.	B. Office of this Ps Hongkong, 11th February, 1899.
Organ, Foot Pedal, Swell Foot Pedal. Foot Blow Pedals, Blow Hundle. Pedals—1 Set 30 Notes Pedal Reeds, 16 feet Pitch.	CUTLER PALMER & Co.'s WINES AND SPIRITS. SIEMSBEN & Co.	THE 3/3 L. 1. 1. American Ship "P. N. BLANCHARD,"	All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full; and the same will be veceived by us until 5 P.M. the	TO LET.
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VICTORIA CHAPTER	HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.	Hongkong, 18th March, 1890. 1668	ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hengkong, 4th April, 1890.	ROOMS suitable either as Offices Dr Apartments For Terms, apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INV
VICTORIA CHAPTER,	SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's	HE 3/8 L. 1. 1. British Ship	FOR NEW YORK.	MENT & AGENCY Co., L Hongkong, 15th January, 1890.
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FEERMASONS' HALL. Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the 15th inst., at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely.	In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken	despatch. Fur Freight, apply to REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co.	For Freight, apply to  RUSSELL & Co:	Apply to LINSTEAD & DAY
Hongkong, 11th April, 1890. [879]	to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.  D. GILLIES.  Secretary.	Hongkong, 25th March, 1890. [716] FOR HAMBURG AND LONDON. THE 3/3 L. I. I. British Bark	FOR SAN FRANCISCO.  FUNE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship	Hongkong, 5th October, 1889.  TO LET FURNISHED.  From 1st June.
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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND · SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

"KUTSANG,"

saving arrived from the above Ports, Consigned of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowlcon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 17th instant, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 24th instant, otherwise they will not be re-

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, 11th April, 1890.

STEAMSHIP "OCEANIEN. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS

NONSIGNEES of Cargo from London and Havre, Ex S. S. Ebre, and from Bordeaux, Ex S. S. Ville de Lille, in connection with above Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godowns, Care of this Paper whence delivery may be obtained immediately [824 after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees

before NOON, TO-DAY (FRIDAY), requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after FRI-DAY, the 18th April, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges at one cent per package per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 19th April (SATURDAY), or they will

No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 11th April, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY

ONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer " TELEMACHUS" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craftor Godown on and after the 11th inst. Goods undelivered after the 18th instant will be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods

must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M., 17th inst. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 10th April, 1889. MOGUL STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

S. S. " MOGUL."

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, PE-NANG, AND SINGAPORE.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo are informed that all goods are being landed. at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m.,

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 15th prox. will be subject to rent. All claims against the steamer must be pre-sented to the undersigned on or before the 15th No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 8th April, 1880. [804 FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship "POLYHYMNIA,"

Captain J. Behrens, having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to | 52 | take immediate delivery of their Goods from Option cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 2 P.M., TO-

> Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 16th inst. will be subject

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to he left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 16th inst., at 4 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 10th April, 1890. FOR SALE CHEAP. 2 CYLINDRICAL TUBULAR BOILERS, 150, indicated H.P. each, and tested to 150 lbs. to the square inch; they are 16 feet long CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS- by 6 feet in diameter, double FURNACES, and 116-2; in Tubes, weight about 3 Tons each; they have been built at H. M's Naval Yard, Hongkong. 4 Cornish Borners, 16 fast long by 5 feet 10 inch in diameter, fitted with 4 Galoway Tubes each, and are about 60 indicated H.P. each. 1-10 H.P. YERTICAL BOILER, fitted with brass patent Tubes, and I-s. H.P. Vertical Engine 1-12, H.P. Cornish BOILER and HORISONTAL DRIVING ENGINE. 5-4 H.P. Horisontal Driving Engines. l Large, extra heavy, loose bed LATHE, 18 inch centre, weight about 9 Tons. 1 LATHE 101in. centre, 1 Slotting Machine, 10in. stroke, 1 Powerful Steam Pump. 1 Vertical Boiler & Horizontal Engine, 6 indicated H.P., with Steam Coffee Mills and Plant, complete 3 Emery Tool GHINDERS. 1 Diagonal and 2 [763] Horizontal STEAM WINCHES, cylinders 7in. in dia. by 12in. stroke. 9 Boxes TAPS and DIES, various sizes. '5 Steam Donkey Pumps; 2 ships Dock Force PUMPS; 2 Small FIRE ENGINES, mounted on carriages. 1. Treble purchase. Winch, 120 fathoms 7in. Rope and 3 Blocks to suit. 1 Large Hand Power DRIVING WHEEL, with shafting and pulleys. I Hand Power RICE SHELLING MACHINE. 8 Hand power Steel FLOUR MILLS. 2,000 feet 21 in. Water PIPE; and the complete plant of Powerful Laundry Ma. CHINERY that formerly belonged to the Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., including Boiler and Engine, and also a Plant of LAUNDRY MACRIN-ERY, that formerly belonged to the Victor Emanuel; it was fitted up in heritor the Ashan-| 47 | tee War; both combined would make a very powerful plant for a Public Laundry. For any further particulars apply to W DIXON, Engineer, in charge of the Machinery Gedown, No. 3, Cross Lane, Wanchai, near No. 2. Police Station.

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